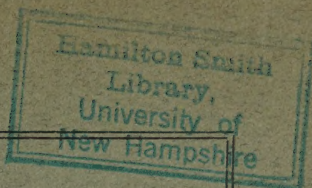


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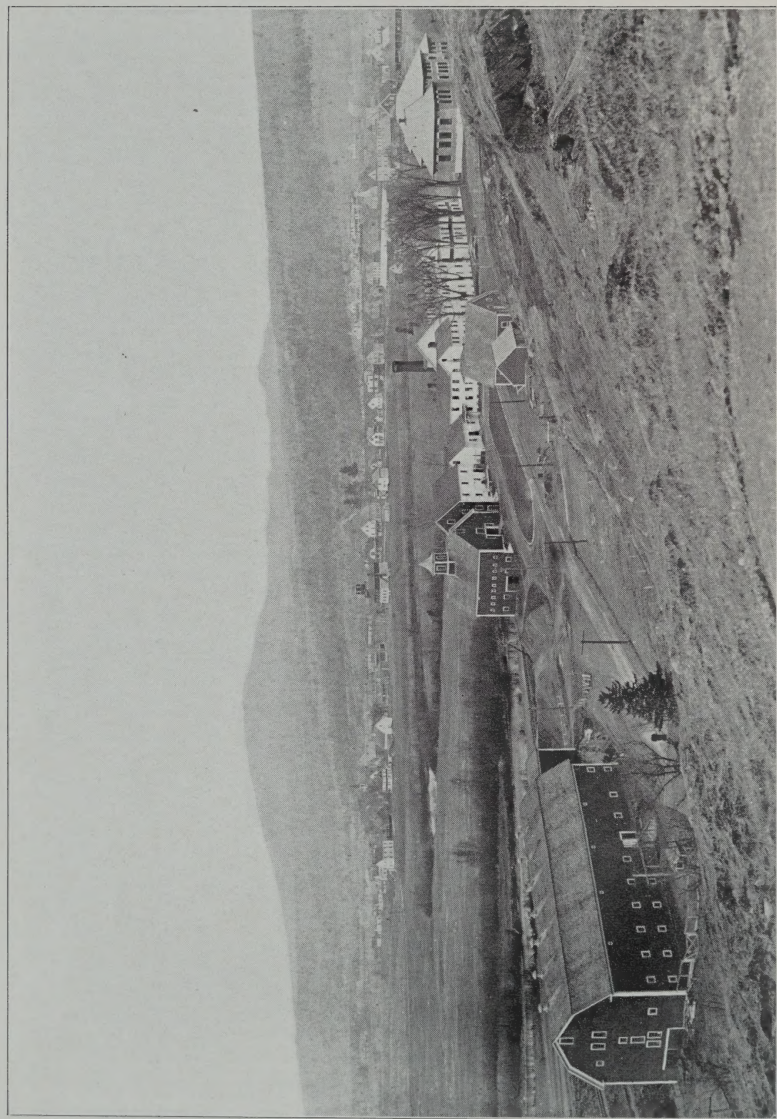
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REPORT OF THE
GOOS COUNTY

County Officers

Commissioners

J. A. VAILLANCOURT, Berlin, N. H.

A. C. HICKS, Colebrook

F. D. PAGE, Whitefield

Treasurer

DAVID W. COFFEY, Berlin

Solicitor

HARRY G. NOYES, Gorham

Sheriff

GEORGE W. BROWN, Berlin

Deputy Sheriffs

I. W. QUIMBY, Lancaster

J. B. NOYES, Berlin

J. B. CASEY, Gorham

B. H. KELSEA, Colebrook

L. F. FOLLENSBY, Whitefield, N. H.

Clerk of Superior Court

FRED C. CLEAVELAND, Lancaster

Judge of Probate Court

ALFRED R. EVANS, Gorham

Register of Probate

FRED CONGDON, Lancaster

Register of Deeds

EDWARD J. DALEY, North Stratford

Superintendent of County Farm

IRVING E. BEDELL, West Stewartstown

Auditors

FRED C. CLEAVELAND, Lancaster

WARREN W. JAMES, Berlin

Commissioners' Report

TO THE CITIZENS OF COOS COUNTY:

In accordance with the laws of the State of New Hampshire the Commissioners of Coos County herewith submit for your consideration their business transactions for the year 1917 also reports of the other County Officers.

The Almshouse, House of Correction and Jail continued under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Irving E. Bedell and same is very satisfactory.

The farm land is in good condition. The County Buildings are in good condition although the Court House in Berlin is in need of some interior repairs.

There has been many improvements at the County Farm during the past year, the most notable being the completion of Fire Escapes at a cost of nearly \$3,000. There is need of an additional boiler which could be installed immediately in case of accident to the one now in use.

A large expense is the board of children in Orphanages and private families. The number of children supported by the County increases every year. We have been obliged to increase the price to be paid from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per week on account of the high cost of living.

We wish to express our thanks to all officials and other citizens for their co-operation and aid given during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
J. A. VAILLANCOURT
A. C. HICKS
F. D. PAGE

County Commissioners.

County of Coos

BALANCE

Assets

| | 1916 | 1917 |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Cash in Bank | 9,474.40 | \$ 22,262.74 |
| Accounts due 1916 report | 892.53 | 1,329.10 |
| Cash hands of Supt. | 404.29 | 364.25 |
| Taxes due from towns | 4,004.51 | 827.91 |
| Real Estate Inventory | 146,180.92 | 155,888.73 |
| Personal Property Inventory | 22,684.09 | 29,729.43 |
| | <hr/> | |
| | \$183,640.74 | \$210,402.16 |

SHEET

December 31, 1917

Liabilities

| | 1916 | 1917 |
|--------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Outstanding Orders | \$2,393.98 | \$ 1,608.66 |
| Notes Outstanding | | |
| Farmers Loan & Trust Co. N. Y. | 25,000.00 | 40,000.00 |
| Berlin National Bank | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 |
| Guaranty Trust Co. | | 10,000.00 |
| Bonds Outstanding | | |
| Jail and House of Correction | 30,000.00 | 25,000.00 |
| Total Liabilities | 62,393.98 | 81,608.66 |
| Surplus , | 121,246.76 | 128,793.50 |

County Farm Inventory

Inventory taken December 31, 1917

| | |
|----------|------------|
| 6 Horses | \$ 1400.00 |
|----------|------------|

Cattle

| | | |
|---|------------|-------------|
| 6 Cows (Thoroughbred Holsteins registered) | \$ 1200.00 | |
| 42 Cows | 4000.00 | |
| 2 Calves (Thoroughbred Holsteins) | 175.00 | |
| 2 Calves (Thoroughbred Holsteins) | 100.00 | |
| 19 Calves | 475.00 | |
| 3 Calves (Grade) | 60.00 | |
| 17 Yearling Heifers | 680.00 | |
| 8 2-year old steers | 760.00 | |
| 6 1-year old steers | 400.00 | |
| 4 Steer Calves | 140.00 | |
| 1 Thoroughbred Bull 1 yr. old | 100.00 | |
| 1 Thoroughbred Bull 3 yrs. old | 200.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 8290.00 |
| 16 Shoats | \$ 250.00 | |
| 4 Pigs | 30.00 | |
| 2 Brood Sows (Reg. Berkshires) | 70.00 | |
| 1 Boar Pig (Reg. Berkshire) | 35.00 | |
| 77 Hens | 77.00 | 462.00 |
| | <hr/> | \$10,152.00 |

Farm Produce

| | |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| 275 Tons Hay at \$13.00 | \$ 3575.00 |
| 15 Tons Straw at 5.00 | 75.00 |
| 150 Tons Ensilage at 3.00 | 450.00 |
| 800 Bu. Potatoes at 1.10 | 880.00 |
| 700 Bu. Turnips at .70 | 490.00 |
| 350 Bu. Beets at .75 | 262.50 |
| 200 Bu. Carrots at .75 | 150.00 |
| 500 Bu. Oats at .80 | 400.00 |
| | —————\$ 6,282.50 |

Fuel

| | |
|------------------------------|------------------|
| 300 Cords wood 3 ft. at 7.00 | \$2100.00 |
| 100 Cords wood 2 ft. at 4.00 | 400.00 |
| | —————\$ 2,500.00 |

Farm Produce Weighed in 1917

| |
|----------------------|
| 318 Tons Hay |
| 20 Tons Straw |
| 175 Tons Ensilage |
| 600 Bushels Oats |
| 900 Bushels Potatoes |
| 375 Bushels Beets |
| 800 Bushels Turnips |
| 300 Bushels Carrots |

Farming Tools, Furniture, Supplies, etc

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Farming tools per inventory | \$1950.00 |
| Fire Department | 450.00 |

| | | |
|---|----------|-----------|
| Sugar Tools | 200.00 | |
| Provisions | 4,236.65 | |
| Household furniture as per inventory | 2,850.00 | |
| Household furniture in Jail as per inventory | 858.28 | |
| Miscellaneous | 250.00 | 10,794.93 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total inventory personal property | | 29,729.43 |

Real Estate Inventory

| | |
|--|--------------|
| County farm buildings, including Ladd farm, wood lots, old House of Correction, laundry, boiler house and all lands in Stewartstown. | \$47,941.37 |
| New Jail and House of Correction at Stewartstown | 37,621.94 |
| Court House and Fixtures, Colebrook | 4,000.00 |
| Court House and Fixtures, Lancaster | 20,000.00 |
| Court House and Fixtures, Berlin | 46,325.42 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$155,888.73 |

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Assets

| | |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Real Estate Inventory | \$155,888.73 |
| Personal Property | 29,729.43 |
| County Taxes due | 827.91 |
| L. B. Cook, prison labor | 105.99 |
| C. Van Dyke prison labor | 39.15 |

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Stewartstown prison labor | 190.00 |
| Martin Moore prison labor | 66.60 |
| Van Dyke Est. prison labor | 12.78 |
| Wm. F. Allen Co., prison labor | 342.43 |
| J. Pinette Board | 21.00 |
| P. J. Audley Board | 98.50 |
| Robert Morrison Board | 5.00 |
| G. W. Barbour prison labor | 175.00 |
| B. B. Stillings, prison labor | 24.78 |
| G. H. Johnson, prison labor | 156.42 |
| Mohawk Dairy Co., prison labor | 91.45 |
| Cash in hand of I. E. Bedell | 364.25 |
| Cash in Banks | 22,262.74 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$210,402.16 |

Liabilities

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Jail and House of Correction Bonds | \$25,000.00 |
| Notes to Farmers Loan & Trust Co., | 40,000.00 |
| Notes to Guaranty Trust Co. | 10,000.00 |
| Notes to Berlin National Bank | 5,000.00 |
| Outstanding orders | 1,608.66 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 81,608.66 |
| Net assets Dec. 31, 1917 | 128,793.50 |
| Net assets Dec. 31, 1916 | 121,246.76 |
| | <hr/> |
| Net gain for the year 1917 | 7,546.74 |

We hereby certify that there were outstanding orders unpaid January 1, 1918, drawn by us upon the

County Treasurer to the amount of \$1608.66

J. A. Vaillancourt

A. C. Hicks

F. D. Page

Commissioners.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, COOS, ss.

Personally appeared the above named J. A. Vaillancourt, A. C. Hicks and F. D. Page and made oath that the above certificate by them is true.

W. W. JAMES

Justice of Peace.

Register of Deeds Office

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------|----------------|
| Library Bureau for supplies | \$41.09 | |
| The Rumford Press for supplies | 43.93 | |
| Loring Short and Harmon for supplies | 24.53 | |
| H. H. Sanderson for supplies | 37.58 | |
| Coos County Democrat for supplies | 53.15 | |
| F. S. Webster Co. for supplies | 6.00 | |
| Linseott and Smith for supplies | 2.45 | |
| Bank Office Equipment Co. Steel | | |
| Shelves etc. | 244.50 | |
| | | <hr/> \$453.23 |

Register of Probate Office

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Coos County Democrat for supplies | \$34.70 | |
| H. H. Sanderson for supplies | 82.50 | |
| Royal Typewriter Co., Typewriter | 81.00 | |
| Loring Short and Harmon Supplies | 96.15 | |
| Fielding Smith, Postage | 50.00 | |
| | | <hr/> 344.35 |

Clerk of Court Office

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|--------|
| Globe Wernicke Co., for supplies | \$20.80 | |
| F. C. Cleaveland for sundries | 71.83 | |
| F. H. Nourse for supplies | 64.14 | |
| Library Bureau for supplies | 190.58 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 347.35 |

Salaries of County Officers

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|----------|
| G. W. Brown Salary as Sheriff | \$1000.00 | |
| B. H. Hinman Salary as Solicitor | 200.00 | |
| H. G. Noyes Salary as Solicitor | 600.00 | |
| E. O. Gilbert Salary as Treasurer | 100.00 | |
| D. W. Coffey Salary as Treasurer | 150.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 2,050.00 |

Dependent Soldiers Account

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|--------|
| Morrison Hospital care of soldiers, | \$748.00 | |
| Town of Whitefield old soldiers | 24.00 | |
| H. P. Goddard, supplies to soldiers, | 18.50 | |
| Cash to soldiers, | 15.00 | |
| W. W. Knight board of soldiers, | 24.00 | |
| Hugh Coyle rent for soldiers, | 8.00 | |
| St. Louis Hospital care of soldiers, | 4.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 841.50 |

Miscellaneous Account

| | | |
|---|--------|--|
| J. B. Noyes (Conveying Ouelette House of Correction) | 16.55 | |
| (Transportation of County Paupers) | | |
| J. A. Vaillancourt | 114.83 | |
| B. J. Covell | 14.00 | |
| P. Larochele | 69.32 | |

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|--|--------|
| F. Shorey | 26.65 |
| J. B. Casey | 60.50 |
| F. D. Page | 27.45 |
| N. H. Children's Society for expense | 5.89 |
| Lancaster House County Delegation | |
| Expense | 17.25 |
| T. A. Currier County Delegation Expense | 34.75 |
| G. H. Young for sundries | 3.00 |
| H. H. Sanderson printing reports | 185.84 |
| L. D. Ripley services | 9.25 |
| A. G. Marshall sundries | 23.47 |
| M. W. Gray for services as overseer County | |
| paupers and expense | 147.00 |
| G. W. Brown for services | 52.74 |
| M. A. Hastings recording divorce decrees | 4.00 |
| F. C. Cleaveland recording divorce decrees | 1.00 |
| F. L. Parsons, transportation County | |
| paupers | 10.00 |
| M. Sweatt for sundries | 6.00 |
| Franklin Printery supplies | 6.75 |
| E. O. Gilbert for supplies | 17.50 |
| D. W. Coffey for supplies | 35.65 |
| Barney Reporter Press for supplies | 20.55 |
| J. B. McCaffery funeral of unknown | 6.00 |
| A. W. Walters burial of J. Moere | 43.70 |
| Old Mountainer Press for supplies | 18.50 |
| F. S. Webster Co. | 3.75 |
| H. G. Noyes | 5.00 |
| Sec. of State for Records | 1.00 |
| James Scott for services | 10.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 997.89 |

Colebrook Court House Expense

| | |
|------------------------------------|--------|
| J. D. Ames water rent Jan. 1, 1918 | \$9.00 |
| H. Sims for supplies | 2.00 |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| William Jordan for labor | 5.00 | |
| W. E. Holden for labor as janitor | 63.95 | |
| F. G. Vancore repairing clock | 1.00 | |
| Allen Co. for lights | 4.00 | |
| D. Stickney for supplies | .50 | |
| A. C. Hicks for sundries | 3.25 | |
| | <hr/> | 88.70 |

Lancaster Court House Expense

| | | |
|---|----------|----------|
| Coos Telephone Co. Telephone service | \$100.81 | |
| Lancaster Water Co. for water rent | 20.00 | |
| Jones Linscott E. Co., for lighting etc | 91.99 | |
| Henry Young services as Janitor | 253.25 | |
| Est. of I. Glynn for Coal | 293.24 | |
| L. F. Moore for supplies | 54.50 | |
| M. A. Hastings for sundries | 43.74 | |
| H. A. Wheeler and Co., flag, | 54.25 | |
| James Monahan, coal | 326.05 | |
| | <hr/> | 1,237.83 |

Berlin Court House Expenses

| | | |
|--|--------|--|
| A. E. Parent for supplies | \$.50 | |
| F. Shorey services as janitor | 111.25 | |
| Berlin Water Co. water rent | 4.87 | |
| Coos Telephone Co., services | 16.72 | |
| Twin State Gas and Electric Co. lighting | 19.60 | |
| Barney Reporter Press supplies | 1.20 | |
| T. H. Samson, supplies | 16.57 | |
| Riva & Stanley labor | 17.15 | |
| The Book Store supplies | 4.55 | |
| C. N. Hodgdon Co. coal | 190.00 | |
| A. Dion care of grounds | 10.20 | |

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|----------------------------------|------|--------|
| G. H. Crowell labor | 1.88 | |
| O. Bolduc labor | 1.80 | |
| Berlin W. & C. Co. labor | 5.00 | |
| G. H. Holt Electric Co. supplies | 8.00 | |
| E. Wildes labor | 5.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 414.29 |

Colebrook Court House Repair

| | | |
|---------------------------|---------|--------|
| C. W. Kelley for sundries | \$74.40 | |
| Colebrook Hardware Co. | 102.11 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 176.51 |

Lancaster Court House Repairs

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| E. Smith for sundries | 8.50 | |
| E. H. Mason for sundries | 28.27 | |
| F. Smith & Co. | 9.26 | |
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| | | 46.03 |

Medical Referee Expense

| | |
|--|--------|
| Dr. McGee viewing body Alf. Young | \$5.00 |
| Dr. McGee viewing body E. Bernard | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee viewing body Unknown Baby | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee, viewing body, A. Rose | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee, viewing body, Mrs. T. Cantin | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee, viewing body, Mrs. L. J. Cote | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee, viewing body, Mortensen | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee viewing body, Del. Plourde | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee, viewing body, P. Brassard | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee viewing body L. W. Woodward | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee viewing body J. Moulton | 5.00 |

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| Dr. McGee viewing body Tellier Baby | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee viewing body N. Valliere | 5.00 |
| Dr. McGee Autopsy J. Milliken | 26.13 |
| Dr. McGee Autopsy J. Kane | 45.00 |
| Dr. McGee Autopsy Unknown | 31.20 |
| Dr. McGee, Autopsy, J. McMahon | 46.20 |
| Dr. H. D. Bryant viewing F. Langlois | 2.00 |
| Dr. R. E. Wilder viewing A. Flaherty | 6.80 |
| Dr. W. W. Ker viewing F. Blais | 5.00 |
| Dr. L. B. Marcou viewing P. Tardif | 5.00 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour viewing Maloney | 7.88 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour viewing E. D. Thurston | 7.90 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour autopsy W. Sullivan | 27.60 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour viewing C. H. Holden | 5.90 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour, viewing J. Cadwah | 5.90 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour, viewing L. R. Loverin | 6.50 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour, viewing H. Tyrell | 7.52 |
| Dr. G. W. Barbour viewing W. Edwards | 7.16 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$313.69 |

County Farm Expenses

E. O. Gilbert and D. W. Coffey Treas. bills and pay rolls for

| | |
|-----------|-----------|
| January | \$1656.47 |
| February | 1695.51 |
| March | 1952.54 |
| April | 1777.86 |
| May | 2052.92 |
| June | 1847.05 |
| July | 1694.09 |
| August | 1747.82 |
| September | 2077.13 |
| October | 2897.69 |
| November | 2859.46 |
| December | 3228.78 |

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|---|---------|-----------|
| Coos Telephone for service | 76.45 | |
| G. W. Barbour, M. D. for medical ser. | 206.27 | |
| Empire Cream Separator Co. Milking Machine | 469.31 | |
| Stotts Milling Co., Car Flour | 1602.54 | |
| W. H. Leith, M. D. Med. Attendance | 150.00 | |
| P. A. Quimby for sundries | 96.57 | |
| G. W. Allen for wiring | 273.58 | |
| Rev. Mr. Small services as chaplain | 50.00 | |
| H. E. Day for taxes | 367.65 | |
| | | 28,779.69 |

County Farm Buildings Repair Account

| | | |
|--|---------|--------|
| E. W. Gilman for labor and material | \$47.30 | |
| A. I. Farnham for labor and material | 30.04 | |
| E. S. Parker and Co., for labor and mat. | 67.75 | |
| Wm. Allen and Co., for labor and mat. | 54.29 | |
| P. A. Quimby, for labor and mat. | 531.83 | |
| I. E. Bedell (as per vouchers) | 255.96 | |
| | | 987.17 |

County Bonds and Interest

| | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Interest on Jail Bonds | \$1237.50 | |
| Bond on New Jail and House of C. | 5000.00 | |
| | | \$6237.50 |

Temporary Loans and Interest

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Note dated December 6, 1916 due December 6, 1917 | |
| Interest 4 1-4 percent. | 25,000.00 |
| Note dated April 17, 1917 due December 17, | |

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|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| 1917 | 20,000.00 | |
| Interest on above | 1,653.26 | |
| Interest on note Berlin Nat. Bank | 270.83 | |
| | | 46,924.09 |

Building Committee New Jail

| | | |
|---|----------|----------|
| J. C. Hutchins for service and expenses | \$343.23 | |
| S. D. Morgan in full of account | 5999.93 | |
| | | 6,343.16 |

Insurance Account

| | | |
|--|----------|----------|
| G. M. Stevens and Sons Co., Lancaster | | |
| Court House | \$104.00 | |
| G. M. Stevens Liability Boiler | 45.50 | |
| G. M. Stevens County Farm Buildings | 230.40 | |
| T. F. Johnson Co. Farm Bldgs. | 270.40 | |
| T. F. Johnson Jail | 30.00 | |
| G. N. Kent and Son Co. Lancaster C. H. | 85.25 | |
| G. N. Kent & Son Co. Co. Farm Bldgs. | 105.60 | |
| J. A. Vaillancourt Berlin C. H. | 6.50 | |
| J. A. Vaillancourt Co. Farm Bldgs. | 340.52 | |
| Drew & Kelsea, New Jail | 30.00 | |
| J. H. Dudley New Jail | 40.00 | |
| Bean & Bean New Jail | 30.00 | |
| M. N. Blanchard New Jail | 40.00 | |
| E. O. Colby Farm Bldgs. | 15.00 | |
| T. F. Johnson Colebrook C. H. | 59.50 | |
| | | 1,432.67 |

Transients Account

| | | |
|--|---------|--------|
| E. R. B. McGee, M. D. Care J. Clouthier | \$40.00 | |
| H. H. Marks, M. D., care Roberge & Lawton | 50.00 | |
| Nap. Rouleau care C. Mercier | 10.00 | |
| St. Louis Hospital care C. Mercier | 57.50 | |
| St. Louis Hospital care J. Polchuk | 34.50 | |
| St. Louis Hospital care Freeman & Little | 81.00 | |
| St. Louis Hospital care Black & Sturgis | 97.50 | |
| St. Louis Hospital care J. Oneil & Als | 135.50 | |
| J. R. Jordan transp, A. J. McGillen | 7.50 | |
| United L & B Co. (Artificial limbs for A. Bernard) | 200.00 | |
| Morrison Hospital care A. Bernard | 162.00 | |
| | | 875.50 |

Needy Blind Account

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| William Carroll cash | 140.50 | |
| Geo. E. Milliken cash | 150.00 | |
| | | 290.50 |

Children Supported Outside

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|--|
| Mrs. Geo. Collin board of Rena Godien | \$36.00 | |
| Irene Hagar board of 4 Tyler children | 265.00 | |
| Hopital Notre Dame de Lourdes | | |
| Albertine Fortier | 96.00 | |
| L. Fortier | 96.00 | |
| Corinne Halle | 8.00 | |
| D. Tardiff | 92.00 | |

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|-------------------------------------|--------|
| St. Peters Orphanage | |
| 2 Hallee children | 170.14 |
| W. Tardiff | 80.00 |
| 4 S. Gourre children | 83.20 |
| St. Patrick's Orphanage | |
| 3 Zogradnia children | 234.00 |
| 2 Mullavey children | 156.00 |
| 2 Proppe children | 52.00 |
| A. Crowley | 64.00 |
| E. Fraser | 78.00 |
| Working Boys' Home | |
| F. Leavitt | 24.35 |
| Mrs. N. G. Collins board of | |
| Collins boy | 76.00 |
| New Hampshire Children's Aid | |
| C. Dorr | 89.25 |
| New Hampshire Orphan's Home | |
| F. White | 132.50 |
| P. Gerry | 58.00 |
| O. Hellum | 98.50 |
| 3 Hatch children | 279.50 |
| 2 Brown children | 52.00 |
| St. Joseph's Boys' Home | |
| W. Castonguay | 104.00 |
| J. Leavitt | 88.58 |
| M. Agrodnia | 90.00 |
| 4 Proppe children | 239.00 |
| J. Crowley | 24.00 |
| 3 Shallow children | 61.67 |
| C. Shea | 16.00 |
| Mrs. J. A. Roy care of Proppe child | 98.04 |
| W. Odell care W. Pond | 84.50 |
| Mabel Shatney care D. Pond | 84.50 |
| Mrs. J. L. Shatney care Mamie Pond | 78.50 |
| Mrs. P. Purington care Fletcher boy | 21.74 |
| Frank Fook care of Fletcher boy | 64.00 |

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| Mrs. A. A. Haney care Lottie Little | 82.50 |
| Mrs. F. Covell care Shallow child | 99.88 |
| Mrs. J. Covell care Bardau boy | 114.00 |
| Mrs. J. Covell care Greenwood boy | 42.00 |
| Mrs. L. N. Heath care Blair child | 94.00 |
| Mrs. J. L. Shatney care Brissetts boy | 51.00 |
| The Lombard Co. Ingalls boy | 5.65 |
| The Lombard Co., Shallow boy | 1.25 |
| The Lombard Co., Greenwood boy | 3.00 |
| The Lombard Co., Bardeau boy | 22.90 |
| Mrs. H. Anderson care Edgar Anderson | 13.50 |
| Mrs. C. Marshall care 2 Anderson boys | 43.50 |
| Mrs. M. Smith care P. Anderson | 88.41 |
| The Woman's Hosp. Assn. B. Romanuck | 195.50 |
| W. R. McAusland B. Romanuck | 8.00 |
| Joseph Hebert care A. Crissman | 85.60 |
| Mrs. F. A. Gessner care Round child | 23.10 |
| Town of Northumberland Round child | 19.50 |
| Mrs. Mary Hill care Brissetts child | 109.25 |
| F. W. Baldwin care Ethel Brown | 17.95 |
| F. W. Baldwin care Alice Congdon | 74.90 |
| Mrs. G. Currier care of children | 78.00 |
| Mrs. R. Wight care L. Brissetts | 76.50 |
| Mrs. R. Wight care Ethel Brown | 51.00 |
| New Hampshire Orphans' Home S. Knapp | 98.50 |
| Town of Whitefield care of 4 Mullavey children | \$297.90 |
| Town of Whitefield care of Marden child | 9.00 |
| W. A. Grover care Tyler child | 74.00 |
| F. E. Peabody care 2 Fraser children | 154.00 |
| F. W. Baldwin care Crawford child | 56.59 |
| L. O. Haynes care E. L. Crawford | 89.00 |
| P. T. Day care A. Paul | 45.00 |
| Rose Grapes care 2 Grapes children | 84.00 |
| N. Wood & Son Little child | 47.00 |
| L. E. Henson care Sarah Morris | 78.00 |

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| L. A. Comstock care F. W. Paul | 43.07 |
| H. J. Lazure care R. Shea | 30.00 |
| Mrs. Whitehead 3 Little children | 101.89 |
| G. H. Cummings G. Little | 8.56 |
| Wm. Crowley care Gert. Davis | 78.00 |
| A. Brissetts care H. Brissetts | 44.00 |
| S. Zogradnia care 4 Zogradnia children | 80.00 |
| Wm. Marcotte Co. Gourre children | 8.02 |
| Besse Eldrige Co. Gourre children | 22.80 |
| F. W. Baldwin care Paul Child | 35.50 |
| F. W. Blodgett care Blodgett child | 5.95 |
| F. G. Vancore care Danforth Girl | 5.00 |
| E. F. Royal care Beecher child | 19.02 |
| A. Letourneau care C. Halle | 18.00 |
| Town of Stark care Claire Walker | 81.43 |
| Town of Stark care Sussie Walker | 81.43 |
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| | 6471.52 |

Fire Escapes

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|-----------------------------|---------|---------|
| A. E. Parent | 925.00 | |
| F. P. Lyons Iron Works Co., | 1994.65 | |
| | <hr/> | 2919.65 |

Improvements County Buildings

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|----------------------------|--------|
| C. W. Sisco Lightning rods | 445.00 |
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County Roads Unorganized Towns

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| H. H. Holt breaking roads in Cambridge | \$15.50 |
| K. H. Thurston breakings roads in Mills- | |

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| field | 138.23 | |
| L. C. Ilsley breaking roads in Millsfield | 20.00 | |
| I. Cilley breaking roads in Millsfield | 8.00 | |
| | | 181.73 |

Farmers Association of Coos County

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|-------------------------|----------|
| A. B. Frizzeb Treasurer | 1,100.00 |
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County Poor Supported in Towns

| | 1916 | 1917 |
|----------------------|-----------|------------|
| City of Berlin | \$8411.65 | \$ 7300.00 |
| Colebrook | 1173.12 | 944.85 |
| Columbia | 391.18 | |
| Carroll | 522.30 | 38.25 |
| Clarkesville | 297.95 | 318.65 |
| Dalton | 123.80 | 42.00 |
| Dummer | | 51.50 |
| Errol | 24.00 | 22.50 |
| Gorham | 378.92 | 113.58 |
| Jefferson | 217.25 | 170.96 |
| Lancaster | 907.90 | 1270.14 |
| Milan | 35.00 | |
| Northumberland | 1563.86 | 1924.14 |
| Pittsburg | 575.41 | 283.38 |
| Randolph | | 3.09 |
| Shelburne | 12.00 | |
| Stark | 648.58 | 169.37 |
| Stratford | 204.60 | 191.51 |
| Stewartstown | 759.27 | 943.62 |
| Wentworth's Location | 152.00 | 15.00 |
| Whitefield | 2395.76 | 1910.82 |

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| Millsfield | |
| Dixville | 71.11 |
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| | \$ 18,932.90 \$15,784.47 |

**Summary of Expenditures Paid By Commissioners Orders
For Year 1917**

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Register of Deeds office | \$ 453.23 |
| Register of Probate office | 344.35 |
| Clerk of Court office | 347.35 |
| Salaries of County Officers | 2050.00 |
| Dependent Soldiers | 841.50 |
| Miscellaneous | 997.89 |
| Colebrook Court House expenses | 88.70 |
| Lancaster Court House expenses | 1237.83 |
| Berlin Court House expenses | 414.29 |
| Colebrook Court House repairs | 176.51 |
| Lancaster Court House repairs | 46.03 |
| Medical Referee expenses | 313.69 |
| County Farm Expenses | 28,779.69 |
| County Farm Buildings repair | 987.17 |
| County Bonds and Interest | 6,237.50 |
| Temporary Loans and Interest | 46,924.09 |
| Building Committee New Jail | 6,343.16 |
| Insurance Account | 1,432.67 |
| Transients Account | 875.50 |
| Needy Blind Account | 290.50 |
| Children Supported Outside | 6,471.52 |
| Fire Escapes | 2,919.65 |
| Improvements County Buildings | 445.00 |
| County Roads Unorganized Towns | 181.73 |
| Farmers Ass'n. of Coos County | 1,100.00 |
| County Poor supported in towns | 15,784.47 |
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| | 126,084.02 |

Cost of Supporting Inmates and Persons at County Farm

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|---|-------------|-------------|
| Inventory of Personal property December | | |
| 31, 1916 | \$22,684.09 | |
| Bills paid for the year | 28,779.69 | |
| | <hr/> | \$51,463.78 |
| Less Inventory of Personal property December 31, | | |
| 1917 | \$29,729.43 | |
| Cash paid Treas. from farm receipts | 8,362.71 | |
| Amount due County Farm | 1,693.35 | 39,785.49 |
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| Cost to County | | 11,678.29 |
| Number of weeks board furnished | | 7119 2-7 |
| Net cost divided by number of weeks board gives | | \$1.64 |
| Net cost deducting board furnished Supt. Department | | 1.99 |

Milk Produced

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| At Farm for the year 1917 | 160889 lbs. |
| Amount sold | 86738 lbs. |
| Amount consumed at the Farm | 74151 lbs. |
| Representing a value of | \$3571.74 |

County Farm Report

Receipts at County Farm

January

| | | | |
|---------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Jan. 2. | C. V. L. Co., prison labor, | 108.00 | |
| Jan. 6 | Ray Keysar, prison labor | 20.00 | |
| Jan. 8 | G. H. Johnson, Board | 87.43 | |
| Jan. 8 | P. W. Chamberlain, 1 pig | 20.00 | |
| Jan. 16 | Wm. F. Allen Co., prison labor | 17.50 | |
| Jan. 16 | Harold Wilson, fare to Gorham | 2.00 | |
| Jan. 18 | L. Hall, 1 pig | 15.00 | |
| Jan. 18 | Mohawk Dairy Co., drawing ice | 12.84 | |
| Jan. 20 | Mohawk Dairy Co., milk | 59.50 | |
| | | <hr/> | 342.27 |

February

| | | | |
|---------|---|--------|--------|
| Feb. 1 | E. Gilman, 3 cows | 112.50 | |
| Feb. 2. | J. A. Vaillancourt, Doyle fare to Berlin | 2.14 | |
| Feb. 2 | J. P. Boucher, exp. body, G. Elliott, | 3.00 | |
| Feb. 20 | Piper and Keysar, calves | 24.00 | |
| Feb. 20 | Mohawk Dairy Co., milk | 26.93 | |
| Feb. 21 | F. Heath, prison labor, | 364.50 | |
| | | <hr/> | 533.07 |

March

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|---------|--------------------------------|-------|--------|
| Mar. 2 | Prison fine | 18.00 | |
| Mar. 5, | Prison fine | 27.70 | |
| Mar. 5 | T. Glennon, ticket Gilead | 2.30 | |
| Mar. 8 | Prison fine | 14.00 | |
| Mar. 16 | Prison fine | 3.23 | |
| Mar. 17 | Mohawk Dairy Co., prison labor | 50.40 | |
| Mar. 20 | Mohawk Dairy Co., milk | 30.50 | |
| Mar. 26 | James Hutchinson, board | 30.00 | |
| Mar. 27 | Joseph St. Peter, Board | 27.00 | |
| | | | 203.13 |

April

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|----------|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| Apr. 4, | Piper and Keysar calves | 24.00 | |
| Apr. 4, | LaRochelle, maple sugar | 3.75 | |
| Apr. 6, | Prison fine | 20.00 | |
| Apr. 9, | Prison fine | 20.00 | |
| Apr. 18, | Prison fine | 11.20 | |
| Apr. 19, | Prison fine | 20.00 | |
| Apr. 20, | Mohawk Dairy Co., milk | 100.47 | |
| Apr. 24, | Lawrence Scott, calf, | 25.00 | |
| Apr. 25, | E. Gilman, cow, | 40.00 | |
| Apr. 27, | Prison fine | 19.00 | |
| Apr. 27, | E. Gilman calves | 84.15 | |
| | | | 367.57 |

May

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|---------|------------------------------|--------|--|
| May 4, | Prison fine | 25.50 | |
| May 10, | L. P. Hovey, prison labor | 40.00 | |
| May 11, | M. L. Crawford, prison labor | 162.84 | |
| May 14, | Prison fine | 20.00 | |

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| May 15, Prison fine | 22.00 | |
| May 15, Martel, prison labor | 23.75 | |
| May 15, Prison fine | 12.92 | |
| May 18, Prison fine | 22.00 | |
| May 20 Mohawk Dairy Co., milk, | 152.13 | |
| May 24, Prison fine | 25.47 | |
| | <hr/> | 506.61 |

June

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|-------------------------------------|--------|---------|
| June 4, Prison fine | 12.60 | |
| June 5, E. Gilman, 4 steers | 625.00 | |
| June 5 E. Gilman, 1 cow | 57.50 | |
| June 9, M. Crawford, 17 3-4 C. pulp | 142.00 | |
| June 9, Prison fine, | 30.00 | |
| June 9 M. Crawford, prison labor | 9.15 | |
| June 20, E. Gilman, calf | 21.45 | |
| June 20, Mohawk Dairy Co., milk, | 170.51 | |
| | <hr/> | 1068.21 |

July

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|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|
| July 2, G. B. Trask, prison labor | 118.68 | |
| July 5, Prison fine | 22.50 | |
| July 9, E. Fay Flanders, calf | 25.00 | |
| July 9, Prison fine, | 22.00 | |
| July 16, Prison fines | 45.00 | |
| July 17, Prison fine, | 22.00 | |
| July 18, Prison fine, | 5.60 | |
| July 20, Mohawk Dairy Co., milk, | 329.87 | |
| July 21, Jail cell, | .75 | |
| July 24, B. Martel, prison labor | 7.50 | |
| July 24, Prison fine, | 17.00 | |
| July 31, Prison fine | 20.00 | |
| | <hr/> | 635.90 |

August

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| Aug. 3, Prison fine | 14.20 | |
| Aug. 6, Prison fines | 22.00 | |
| Aug. 6, Prison fines, | 20.00 | |
| Aug. 20, Mohawk Dairy Co., milk | 339.50 | |
| Aug. 25, G. D. Keysar, prison labor | 90.00 | |
| Aug. 27, Prison fine, | 12.50 | |
| Aug. 29 Prison fine | 23.00 | |
| | | 521.20 |

September

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| Sept. 5, Prison fine, | 17.00 | |
| Sept. 10 C. A. Eastman, steers, | 250.00 | |
| Sept. 10 J. Marshall, 2 cows and bull, | 150.00 | |
| Sept. 10 B. C. Garland, 2 pigs, | 20.00 | |
| Sept. 12 H. F. Jacobs, prison labor, | 50.00 | |
| Sept. 17 Prison fine | 17.47 | |
| Sept. 17 M. W. Gray, 2 cows, | 130.00 | |
| Sept. 20 Mohawk Dairy Co, milk, | 294.94 | |
| Sept. 21 L. M. Lombard, prison labor | 8.40 | |
| Sept. 21 M. L. Crawford, prison labor | 35.20 | |
| | | 973.01 |

October

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| Oct. 4 Wm. J. Walker, 2 cows, | 160.00 | |
| Oct. 12 A. L. Pierce, 6 yearling steers, | 445.00 | |
| Oct. 15 C. A. Eastman, 6 steers, | 825.00 | |
| Oct. 20 Mohawk Dairy Co., milk, | 187.85 | |
| Oct. 22, C. V. L. and D. Co., Horses | | |
| and land damage | 806.67 | |
| damage, | 806.67 | |

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| Oct. 25 B. Martel ,prison labor, | 26.88 | |
| Oct. 25 Prison fine | 5.80 | |
| Oct. 29 M. L. Crawford, prison labor | 82.50 | |
| Oct. 29 Prison fine, | 3.30 | |
| Oct. 31 I. A. Dearth, prison labor, | 20.00 | |
| Oct. 31 Prison fine, | 16.72 | |
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| | | 2579.72 |

November

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|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Nov. 20 Mohawk Dairy Co., milk | 155.94 | |
| Nov. 20 James Hutchinson, board, | 30.00 | |
| Nov. 26 Louis Van Loon, Xmas trees, | 120.00 | |
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| | | 305.94 |

December

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| Dec. 1 J. A. Vaillancourt, b'rd, Erickson, | 56.00 | |
| Dec. 6 C. A. Chandler, 2 pigs, | 15.00 | |
| Dec. 11 Louis Van Loon, Xmas trees | 10.00 | |
| Dec. 11 C. H. Jameson, prison labor, | 175.00 | |
| Dec. 20 Mohawk Dairy Co., milk, | 7.11 | |
| Dec. 20 Robert Morrison, board, | 10.00 | |
| Dec. 22 Lewis Chabot, board | 20.00 | |
| Dec. 22 Town of Stewartstown, prison labor, | 300.00 | |
| Dec. 31 Prison fine, | 41.60 | |
| Dec. 31 Prison fines, | 55.62 | |
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| | | 690.33 |
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| Total receipts | | \$8726.96 |

Bills Paid By County Treasurer

January

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|---|-----------|
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 246.87 |
| F. B. Spaulding Co., feed, | 25.50 |
| Swift and Co., supplies, | 90.82 |
| Alfred Jones' Sons, fish, | 14.95 |
| Frank Smith & Co., feed, | 105.00 |
| Merrills Pharmacy, Hospital supplies, | 28.82 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., Electric lights, | 109.00 |
| The Clarke-Eddy Co., hose, | 41.65 |
| R. E. Marsh, house furnishings, | 93.95 |
| F. W. Baldwin, supplies | 46.78 |
| Piper Brothers, supplies | 21.12 |
| Morrell Mfg. Co., Worrell's Vermigo, | 120.00 |
| Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell: | |
| Austin Hunt, beef, | 17.73 |
| Mrs. M. Thayer, labor, | 8.50 |
| Mrs. K. Thayer, labor, | 8.50 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 7.43 |
| J. E. Fenner, stockings, | 18.90 |
| Francis Beecher, pigs, | 6.30 |
| The Toussaint Baking Co., bread, | 3.20 |
| L. E. Henson, butter | 22.00 |
| The P. J. Noyes Co., supplies, | 9.08 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 3.60 |
| The Fleischmann Co., yeast, | 7.02 |
| H. W. Duff, ice, | 22.41 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight and tickets, | 15.34 |
| Addie Gendron, labor, | 10.00 |
| Ada Washburn, labor, | 18.00 |
| Payroll ending, Jan. 31, 1917, | 534.00 |
| | \$1656.47 |

February

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|--------------------------------------|--------|
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 118.75 |
| Swift & Co., supplies, | 167.65 |
| Frank Smith & Co., feed, | 49.20 |
| Berlin Wholesale Grocery Co., sugar, | 165.44 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 36.79 |
| F. B. Spaulding Co., feed, | 46.00 |
| Webster Thomas Co., tea, | 41.48 |
| Smith and Son, crackers, | 11.39 |
| Frank W. Baldwin, supplies, | 32.18 |
| M. Loverin, Mdse. | 141.01 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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| Dr. S. T. Law, Vet. services, | 21.50 |
| Empire Cream Sep. Co., repairs | 2.22 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight and express | 18.20 |
| Geo. C. Cook, Storebill | 158.54 |
| Addie Gendron, labor, | 2.00 |
| L. C. Hall, Buffalo feed | 41.00 |
| Minnie Ingalls, labor, | 11.33 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 4.86 |
| Judd & Carr, Cutting Corn, | 18.00 |
| L. E. Henson, butter, | 8.15 |
| C. L. Day, harness and shoe rep. | 39.15 |
| Johnson & Green, supplies, | 16.60 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, exp. and ticket | 17.07 |
| Payroll ending Feb. 28, 1917 | 527.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1695.51 |

March

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|------------------------------|--------|
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 267.09 |
| Swift & Co., supplies, | 158.96 |
| Frank Smith & Co., feed, | 145.00 |
| The Beckman Co., blankets, | 90.00 |

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| Smith & Son, crackers, | 10.90 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 60.45 |
| Eagleine Oil Sup. Co. supplies, | 29.67 |
| The Clark-Eddy Co., supplies, | 172.04 |
| Holbrook Grocery Co., groceries | 221.83 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., Electric lights, | 106.00 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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| M. C. R. R. Co., freight and express, | 6.45 |
| M. L. Crawford, drawing sawdust, | 5.00 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 12.21 |
| J. O. Guay, blacksmithing, | 59.15 |
| J. St. Peter, labor, | 47.00 |
| Lee Blodgett, bringing Guy Knapp to Farm | 3.00 |
| Mrs. Gendron, labor, | 3.00 |
| L. E. Henson, butter, | 16.00 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 3.79 |
| Payroll ending March 31, 1917 | 535.00 |
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| | \$1952.54 |

April

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|--|--------|
| Holbrook Grocery Co., flour, | 466.64 |
| Swift & Co., supplies, | 42.75 |
| L. C. Hall, feed, | 144.40 |
| Providence Churning Co., Oleo, | 31.50 |
| Frank Smith & Co., feed, | 24.50 |
| C. A. Weston Co. groceries, | 188.02 |
| F. B. Spaulding Co., feed, | 58.25 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 32.40 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., electric lights, | 53.50 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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| E. W. Gilman, labor, | 23.75 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 30.65 |
| L. E. Henson, butter, | 16.00 |

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|--|--------|-----------|
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 24.88 | |
| Hazen Young, labor, | 25.67 | |
| J. O. Guay, blacksmithing, | 23.20 | |
| Dr. C. C. Mathewson dentist work, | 4.25 | |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 33.42 | |
| H. L. Cummings, stat'n'y and milk cards, | 12.75 | |
| Payroll ending April 30, 1917, | 541.33 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1777.86 |

May

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|----------------------------|--------|
| C. A. Weston, groceries, | 251.68 |
| Frank Smith & Co., feed, | 264.45 |
| Swift & Co., supplies, | 220.00 |
| Smith & Son, crackers, | 13.60 |
| Frank Baldwin, supplies, | 51.29 |
| F. B. Spaulding Co., feed, | 184.00 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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|-------------------------------------|--------|-----------|
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 13.96 | |
| E. Deragon, supplies, | 314.26 | |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight on flour, | 124.01 | |
| Mrs. S. T. Noyes, Rep. Grain Drill, | 17.81 | |
| Johnson & Green, flag, | 6.25 | |
| The Fleischmann Co., yeast, | 4.68 | |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 8.59 | |
| Payroll ending May 31, 1917. | 578.34 | |
| | <hr/> | \$2052.92 |

June

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|----------------------------------|--------|
| Holbrook Grocery Co., groceries, | 173.79 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 135.28 |
| Joseph Breck & Sons, seed, | 112.66 |

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| Swift & Co., supplies, | 36.60 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., electric lights, | 54.50 |
| Merrill's Pharmacy, supplies, | 44.78 |
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 156.19 |
| Parke, Davis & Co., supplies, | 42.01 |
| M. Loverin, Mdse., | 265.70 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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|--|--------|
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 13.10 |
| L. E. Henson, butter, | 30.00 |
| H. L. Cummings jail lags, | 2.50 |
| R. E. Marsh, Household furnishings, | 56.60 |
| A. I. Farnham & Co., supplies, | 20.05 |
| J. O. Guay, blacksmithing, | 21.25 |
| C. L. Day, harness and shoe repairing, | 21.65 |
| Mrs. E. Bassett, set of harness, | 45.00 |
| M. W. Reynolds, horse collar and straps, | 8.20 |
| J. E. Fenner, 5 doz. stockings, | 6.75 |
| Dr. A. C. Daniels, Vet. medicine, | 13.75 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 4.49 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, and ticket to Me., | 10.20 |
| Payroll ending June 30, 1917 | 572.00 |

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July

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| Swift & Co., supplies, | 118.75 |
| Smith & Son, crackers, | 10.82 |
| Morris & Co., supplies, | 47.24 |
| Conant Patrick & Co., supplies, | 37.50 |
| Alfred Janes' Sons, fish, | 13.75 |
| Mascoma Mfg. Co., clothing, | 28.50 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 47.60 |
| Holbrook Grocery Co., tobacco, | 194.88 |
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 40.87 |

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| L. F. Moore, barbed wire, | 26.87 |
| Frank Smith & Co., feed, | 4.35 |
| Eagle Oil & Sup. Co., supplies, | 19.00 |
| Kendall & Whitney, sprayer and harrow, | 117.00 |
| J. O. Guay, blacksmithing, | 27.95 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., electric lights, | 53.50 |
| F. W. Baldwin, supplies, | 118.58 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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|---|-----------|
| G. A. Ripley, painting wagon, | 9.00 |
| C. H. Green, cedar posts, | 6.00 |
| P. J. Noyes Co., hospital supplies, | 10.26 |
| Agnes S. Dodge, nursing, | 44.00 |
| Geo. F. Franklin, painting, | 38.50 |
| J. E. Fenner, 5 doz. stockings, | 6.75 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 8.94 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight and ticket, Kissel | 23.66 |
| L. E. Henson, butter, | 34.20 |
| Beecher Falls Co., sawdust, | 2.50 |
| Payroll ending July 31, 1917 | 584.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1697.97 |

August

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Holbrook Grocery Co., groceries, | 39.70 |
| Swift & Co., supplies, | 63.76 |
| Smith & Son, crackers, | 10.82 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 76.80 |
| F. W. Baldwin, supplies, | 79.10 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., electric lights | 54.50 |
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 71.84 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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|-----------------------------|--------|
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 2.41 |
| A. J. Cross, beef and wood, | 155.75 |
| A. I. Farnham, supplies, | 6.00 |

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|---------------------------------------|--------|-----------|
| L. C. Hall, corn meal, | 10.05 | |
| Colebrook Hardware Co., supplies rep. | 12.75 | |
| West Disinfecting Co., Cidol, | 10.00 | |
| Leavitt, Gould & Hurlburt, lime, | 1.50 | |
| Holtzer Cabot Elec. Co. clock dials, | 2.87 | |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 14.04 | |
| Rosie Desangl, 16 qts. raspberries, | 2.00 | |
| E. F. Royal, 100 lbs, pyrox, | 15.00 | |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 3.10 | |
| J. O. Guay, blacksmithing, | 37.95 | |
| G. D. Keysar, 1 pr. gray horses, | 530.00 | |
| Payroll ending August 31, 1917 | 544.00 | |
| | | \$1743.94 |

September

| | | |
|---|--------|-----------|
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 325.56 | |
| Martin L. Hall Co., coffee | 19.40 | |
| Swift & Co., supplies, | 133.65 | |
| Smith & Son, crackers, | 10.79 | |
| Webster-Thomas Co., coffee, | 7.84 | |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 382.02 | |
| M. Loverin, Mdse., | 293.49 | |
| Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell: | | |
| E. Deragon, supplies, | 225.14 | |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight and express | 16.81 | |
| L. N. Reynolds, labor, | 19.25 | |
| Bertha Morrison, labor | 12.00 | |
| Dixville Notch Cor. Co., services of horse, | 24.00 | |
| National Roofing Co., supplies, | 43.10 | |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 9.11 | |
| The Fleischmann Co., yeast, | 5.30 | |
| The P. J. Noyes Co., hospital sup. | 7.44 | |
| L. E. Henson, butter, | 21.90 | |
| Payroll ending Sept. 30, 1917 | 520.33 | |
| | | \$2077.16 |

October

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| Swift & Co., supplies, | 337.50 |
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries | 230.35 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 224.50 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., electric lights, | 108.00 |
| Alfred Jones' Sons' fish, | 13.50 |
| L. C. Hall, feed | 105.45 |
| Essex Fertilizer Co., | 249.80 |
| F. W. Baldwin, supplies, | 518.55 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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| Mary Wilson, labor, | 10.00 |
| F. J. Cunningham, apples, | 1.80 |
| Geo. C. Cook, supplies, | 116.71 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight | 9.42 |
| Austin Hunt, beef, | 19.50 |
| John Deschene, Cement work, | 54.00 |
| Flossie Lord, labor, | 6.00 |
| C. L. Day, Harness and shoe repairing, | 40.75 |
| Austin Hunt, beef, | 20.88 |
| M. W. Reynolds, harness rep. | 10.50 |
| Austin Hunt, beef, | 19.84 |
| J. E. Fenner, stockings, | 54.00 |
| Keysar & Martin, milking machine rep. | 11.00 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight | 8.04 |
| Austin Hunt, beef, | 31.68 |
| E. Deragon, supplies, | 102.42 |
| Payroll ending October 31, 1917, | 593.50 |

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November

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|----------------------------------|--------|
| C. A. Weston Co., groceries, | 206.10 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 55.80 |
| Holbrook Grocery Co., groceries, | 39.00 |

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| L. C. Hall, feed, | 169.00 |
| The Clark-Eddy Co., clothing, | 204.69 |
| The Frank Smith Co., feed, | 44.50 |
| L. F. Moore, supplies, | 41.48 |
| Sawyer Boot & Shoe Co., supplies, | 285.61 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., electric lights, | 54.50 |
| F. W. Baldwin, supplies, | 83.77 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 19.35 |
| C. W. Sisco, machinery rep. | 19.00 |
| L. E. Henson, butter, | 38.15 |
| Dr. S. T. Law, Vet. services, | 9.50 |
| Austin Hunt, beef, | 26.16 |
| W. W. Buck Mdse., | 8.00 |
| E. W. Gilman, filing saws, | 2.50 |
| Clark Stevens, threshing, | 18.35 |
| Inez Heath, labor, | 14.00 |
| J. O. Guay, blacksmithing, | 16.90 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 15.00 |
| Austin Hunt, beef, | 18.24 |
| Mrs. B. Swett, nursing, | 9.00 |
| E. D. Young, brick, | 10.00 |
| Piper & Keysar, 7 cows, | 520.00 |
| C. E. Davis, 2 cows, | 195.00 |
| C. L. Felton, 1 cow, | 100.00 |
| W. J. Porter, 1 boar, | 25.00 |
| I. E. Bedell exp. Coneycofshin, Concord, | 20.03 |
| Payroll ending November 30, 1917 | 590.83 |

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December

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| C. A. Weston Co, groceries, | 116.17 |
| The Frank Smith Co., feed, | 258.75 |
| Armour & Co., supplies, | 115.20 |

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| Holbrook Grocery Co., supplies, | 57.00 |
| L. C. Hall, feed, | 118.00 |
| Sawyer Boot & Shoe Co., supplies | 7.67 |
| J. O. Guay, blacksmithing, | 17.50 |
| The Wm. F. Allen Co., electric lights, | 53.50 |
| F. W. Baldwin, supplies, | 122.28 |

Miscellaneous bills paid by I. E. Bedell:

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| A. G. Stone, R. R. rails for bridge, | 48.49 |
| Mrs. A. Boutin, beef, | 28.80 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 10.93 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 21.42 |
| C. L. Day, harness and shoe rep. | 37.40 |
| N. B. Young, blacksmithing, | 38.95 |
| R. E. Marsh supplies, | 34.15 |
| A. I. Farnham & Co., supplies, | 35.67 |
| L. P. Merrill, supplies, | 21.95 |
| Glen W. Allen, electric sup. | 14.42 |
| Empire Cream Sep. Co., supplies, | 10.19 |
| The Sentinel Press, bill heads, | 14.00 |
| F. P. Lyons Iron Works, 15 gal. paint, | 12.75 |
| L. Thos Judd, Fertilizer, | 42.00 |
| Dickson's Pharmacy, supplies, | 3.00 |
| Harry Fellows, labor, | 24.61 |
| Mrs. P. Beecher, Border News | 1.25 |
| Willie Hall, straw, | 31.95 |
| M. C. R. R. Co., freight, | 17.34 |
| J. E. Keysar, supplies, | 14.85 |
| Roy Morrison, 2 heifer calves, | 75.00 |
| R. E. Waldron, 4 steer calves, | 135.00 |
| A. J. Bedell, 4 steers, | 250.00 |
| E. C. Gilman, 6 steers, | 463.45 |
| Piper & Keysar, 4 steers | 325.00 |
| J. Gamache, 1 boar pig, C. O. D. | 37.14 |
| A. S. Nault, Mdse. | 22.00 |
| Payroll ending December 31, 1917. | 591.00 |

 \$3228.78

Money Paid Treasurer

1917

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|---------------------------------|---------|----------|
| July 2 Paid D. W. Coffey | 1000.00 | |
| Sept. 5 Paid D. W. Coffey | 1000.00 | |
| Nov. 1 Paid D. W. Coffey | 2500.00 | |
| Dec. 12 Paid D. W. Coffey | 1500.00 | |
| Dec. 27 Paid D. W. Coffey | 2362.71 | |
| | | 8,362.71 |
| Cash in hands of Superintendent | | 364.25 |

Amount Due

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|-----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| G. W. Barbour | 175.00 | |
| B. B. Stillings | 24.78 | |
| G. H. Johnson | 156.42 | |
| Mohawk Dairy Co. | 91.45 | |
| P. J. Audley | 98.50 | |
| Robert Morrison | 5.00 | |
| L. B. Cook prison labor | 105.99 | |
| C. Van Dyke prison labor | 39.15 | |
| Stewartstown prison labor | 190.00 | |
| Martin and Moore prison labor | 66.60 | |
| Van Dyke Est prison labor | 12.78 | |
| The Wm. F. Alln Co., prison labor | 342.43 | |
| J. Penette board | 21.00 | |
| | | 1329.10 |

Number of Weeks Board Furnished

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| No. of weeks board furnished inmates | 3483—4 |
| No. of weeks board furnished prisoners | 2260—6 |
| No. of weeks board furnished Co. Jail | 12—3 |
| No. weeks board furnished Supt. dept. | 1251—3 |
| | 7119—2 |

I. E. BEDELL, Superintendent.

West Stewartstown, N. H.

Inmates at County Farm

Inmates at Coos County Farm, from Dec. 31, 1916 to Dec. 31, 1917.

| Name | Age | Where Born | Town | W. | D. |
|-------------------|------------|-------------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Archambault C. | 80 | Canada | Colebrook | 52 | 1 |
| Aldrich Ed. | 64 | Pittsburg | Pittsburg | 52 | 1 |
| Anderson, W. H. | 48 | Maryland | Berlin | 52 | 1 |
| Aldrich, Benj. | 79 | Colebrook | Groveton | 52 | 1 |
| Anderson Annie | 25 | Groveton | Colebrook | 18 | 4 |
| Anderson Willis | 5 | Groveton | Colebrook | 18 | 2 |
| Anderson Edgar | 16 m | Groveton | Colebrook | 16 | 0 |
| Audley John | 40 | Gorham | Gorham | 28 | 1 |
| Brown Susan | 56 | Colebrook | Colebrook | 52 | 1 |
| Bassett David | 89 | England | Berlin | 52 | 1 |
| Belland, Fred | 36 | Island Pond | Berlin | 9 | 0 |
| Blodgett, Elijah | 60 | Stratford | Pittsburg | 3 | 5 |
| Bushey, Frank | 61 | Canada | Stratford | 21 | 5 |
| Bernard, Alfred | 35 | Canada | Whitefield | 18 | 4 |
| Bowers, George | 40 | N. Y. | Columbia | 3 | 5 |
| Cullen, Phillip | 66 | P. E. I. | Colebrook | 52 | 1 |
| Crawford, Enoch | 9 | Maine | Stark | 52 | 1 |
| Collins, Austin | 8 | Colebrook | Colebrook | 9 | 0 |
| Cantin, Abraham | 51 | Canada | Berlin | 7 | 3 |
| Coneycofskin John | 35 | Russia | Gorham | 11 | 1 |
| Clische, Victor | 57 | Canada | Whitefield | 11 | 2 |
| Crosby, D. H. | 84 | Thornton | Pittsburg | 52 | 1 |
| Crawford, George | 6 | Clarksville | Clarksville | 4 | 0 |
| Davis, Willie | 77 | Canada | Stratford | 52 | 1 |
| Drew, Michael | 74 | Canada | Stewartsto'n | 52 | 1 |
| Doherty, David | 59 | N. Y. | Pittsburg | 52 | 1 |

| Name | Age | Where Born | Town | W. D. |
|-------------------|-----|--------------|--------------|-------|
| Denison, Michael | 88 | Canada | Colebrook | 52 1 |
| Downing, Dan | 67 | Ireland | Stratford | 39 6 |
| Dailey, John | 37 | Ireland | Groveton | 1 0 |
| Ericson, Erik | 78 | Norway | Berlin | 14 4 |
| Ericson, Emily | 48 | Norway | Berlin | 14 4 |
| Fuller, Isaac | 59 | N. H. | Colebrook | 21 4 |
| Fuller, Frank | 66 | Kentucky | Stewartsto'n | 1 0 |
| Fortier, Rosie | 33 | Michigan | Northumb'd | 52 1 |
| Fourte, Peter | 93 | France | Berlin | 52 1 |
| Fourney, Mary | 44 | Canada | Berlin | 52 1 |
| Foreman, John | 68 | Canada | Lancaster | 52 1 |
| Frechette, Camile | 62 | Canada | Berlin | 36 4 |
| Frayar, George | 46 | N. B. | Berlin | 1 2 |
| Forbush, Ellen | 48 | Pittsburg | Pittsburg | 11 0 |
| Freeman, Damon | 36 | Mass. | Berlin | 5 1 |
| Forbush, George | 60 | Maine | Pittsburg | 2 0 |
| Goodno, Charles | 42 | Gorham | Gorham | 52 1 |
| Grover, Dana | 55 | Colebrook | Stewartst'n | 13 1 |
| Goodrum, Mary | 28 | Mass. | Stewartsto'n | 2 4 |
| Goodrum, Willie | 0 | Stewartstown | Stewartsto'n | 2 0 |
| Gaul Thomas | 56 | Canada | Lancaster | 24 6 |
| Gray, Chloe | 13 | Vermont | Whitefield | 41 5 |
| Hughs, James | 50 | Dalton | Dalton | 52 1 |
| Heath, Henry | 48 | Colebrook | Colebrook | 52 1 |
| Hubbard, T. J. | 68 | Gorham | Dalton | 52 1 |
| Hellum Delia | 36 | Norway | Berlin | 52 1 |
| Hood, Effie | 24 | Jefferson | Jefferson | 52 1 |
| Ingalls, Milo | 14 | Stewartstown | Colebrook | 14 5 |
| Ingalls, Minnie | 44 | Canada | Lancaster | 9 6 |
| Judd, Sarah | 80 | Pittsburg | Pittsburg | 52 1 |
| Johnson, Alice | 19 | N. H. | Jefferson | 52 1 |
| Johnson, Carrie | 31 | Lancaster | Lancaster | 52 1 |
| Jordan, John | 34 | Stratford | Colebrook | 18 0 |
| Jodrie, Allen | 38 | N. S. | Stewartsto'n | 6 1 |
| James, Luther | 18 | N. C. | Berlin | 1 5 |

| Name | Age | Where Born | Town | W. | D. |
|--------------------|-----|--------------|--------------|----|----|
| Kenison, Martha | 65 | Jefferson | Jefferson | 52 | 1 |
| Kearns, Edward | 64 | N. S. | Jefferson | 52 | 1 |
| Kelliher, Edward | 55 | Maine | N. Stratford | 52 | 1 |
| Kissel, Alva | 47 | Ohio | Stewartsto'n | 1 | 0 |
| Kelly, John | 69 | Boston | Berlin | 2 | 3 |
| Kelly, Dennis | 61 | Canada | Berlin | 48 | 3 |
| Kelly, Mrs. D. | 58 | Canada | Berlin | 48 | 3 |
| Kellum, Alice | 59 | Lancaster | Lancaster | 52 | 1 |
| Kyle, Burhart | 33 | Mass. | Pittsburg | 2 | 4 |
| Knapp, Guy | 18 | Stewartstown | Stewartsto'n | 3 | 2 |
| Leonard, Walter | 50 | Mass. | Groveton | 1 | 0 |
| Lee, Bernard | 51 | England | Groveton | 1 | 0 |
| Luther, Bernice | 68 | Colebrook | Colebrook | 20 | 5 |
| Lee, Conelius | 62 | Milan | Stark | 21 | 5 |
| Little, Lottie | 24 | Stewartstown | Clarksville | 1 | 2 |
| LaBrick, Jane | 82 | Canada | Lancaster | 52 | 1 |
| Legandre, Joseph | 27 | Canada | Berlin | 9 | 0 |
| McGee, Mrs. | 81 | Canada | Lancaster | 52 | 1 |
| Maloney, Peter | 73 | N. Y. | Berlin | 29 | 1 |
| McDonald, Neal | 62 | Ireland | Stewartst'n | 45 | 0 |
| Mercereau, Stephen | 44 | N. S. | Colebrook | 6 | 2 |
| Mercier, Cyrill | 52 | Canada | Berlin | 15 | 1 |
| McAvoy, John | 65 | N. B. | Errol | 30 | 6 |
| Molinwusse, Willin | 24 | Russia | Pittsburg | 1 | 0 |
| Michell, Delphis | 50 | Canada | Berlin | 4 | 3 |
| Morrison, Robert | 26 | N. Y. | | 3 | 3 |
| Mitchell, Joseph | 65 | Canada | Concord | 52 | 1 |
| Morgan, Michael | 64 | N. Y. | Berlin | 0 | 1 |
| Moore, George | 67 | Maine | Stratford | 21 | 6 |
| Nason, Lorenzo | 87 | Canada | Colebrook | 25 | 6 |
| Nadeau, Mrs. John | 75 | Canada | Berlin | 47 | 1 |
| O'Neil, Joseph | 32 | P. E. I. | Berlin | 4 | 3 |
| Ouilette, Paul | 53 | Maine | Berlin | 2 | 0 |
| O'Neil, John | 27 | Ireland | Berlin | 0 | 3 |
| Ouilette, George | 30 | Russia | Pittsburg | 1 | 0 |

| Name | Age | Where Born | Town | W. | D. |
|-------------------|-----|--------------|--------------|----|----|
| Pauquette, Lewis | 65 | Canada | Berlin | 52 | 1 |
| Pelka, Joseph | 37 | Maine | Berlin | 1 | 1 |
| Perkins, Wm. H. | 55 | R. I. | Colebrook | 1 | 2 |
| Page, Walter | 40 | Kentucky | Northumb'd | 4 | 2 |
| Paschal, L. O. | 30 | Vermont | Jefferson | 10 | 5 |
| Pretoin, Lewis | 50 | Canada | Berlin | 38 | 3 |
| Pappa, Archie | 55 | Canada | Berlin | 52 | 1 |
| Powell, Adelia | 65 | Colebrook | Colebrook | 52 | 1 |
| Peppin, Josephine | 19 | Canada | Pittsburg | 5 | 3 |
| Peppin, Infant | | Coos C. Farm | | 3 | 1 |
| Proppe, Mary | 38 | Russia | Berlin | 11 | 5 |
| Proppe, Virginia | 1 | Berlin | Berlin | 1 | 2 |
| Penette, Nellie | 28 | Vermont | Columbia | 3 | 6 |
| Robinson, Martin | 78 | N. B. | W. Milan | 52 | 1 |
| Rabida, Lewis | 70 | Canada | Milan | 52 | 1 |
| Rivard, Doreo | 30 | Canada | Stewartsto'n | 3 | 5 |
| Rooney, John | 65 | Canada | Whitefield | 52 | 1 |
| Rivard, Mrs. John | 62 | Canada | Berlin | 43 | 6 |
| Rowell, Bernie | 36 | Stewartstown | Clarksville | 8 | 1 |
| Saunders, Arthur | 43 | N. Y. | Berlin | 52 | 1 |
| Saylor, Ida | 53 | Cal. | Gorham | 52 | 1 |
| Shehe, Sarah | 34 | Groveton | Groveton | 52 | 1 |
| Sandy, Jennie | 37 | Gorham | Berlin | 38 | 1 |
| Sandy, Infant | | Coos C. Farm | | 22 | 3 |
| Scott, Mrs. A. | 53 | Canada | Groveton | 3 | 0 |
| Sullivan, John | 24 | Ireland | Pittsburg | 2 | 6 |
| Twombly, Joseph | 84 | Lancaster | Jefferson | 52 | 1 |
| Turgeon, Adolph | 61 | Canada | Colebrook | 13 | 1 |
| Turner, Alton | 33 | Maine | Berlin | 2 | 0 |
| Tuttle, Frank | 65 | Maine | Gorham | 1 | 6 |
| Turgeon, Bernice | 26 | Berlin | Berlin | 52 | 1 |
| Whiting, Clinton | 53 | Columbia | Columbia | 52 | 1 |
| Wentworth, George | 58 | Maine | Colebrook | 1 | 5 |
| Yansen, Marcus | 61 | Norway | Berlin | 52 | 1 |

Prisoners at House of Correction

For the year ending Dec. 31, 1917

| Name | From | Sentenced for | W. D. |
|--------------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| George Rapilla | Gorham | Drunk | 21 3 |
| Harrold Wilson | Gorham | Drunk | 21 3 |
| James Fitzgibbons | Gorham | Drunk | 8 5 |
| Henry Bemis | Gorham | Drunk | 8 5 |
| William Evans | Gorham | Drunk | 13 0 |
| Martin Cronin | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Joseph LaBelle | Gorham | Drunk | 13 0 |
| Frank Jones | Berlin | Stealing | 13 1 |
| Ed. Potter | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Wm. Lawton | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Charles Mackey | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Fred Chase | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Ernest Hammond | Groveton | Stealing | 15 1 |
| John Schultz | Groveton | Drunk | 6 4 |
| Joseph Dodge | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Thos. Sweeney | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| John Egan | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Flossie Estes | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Geo. F. Franklin | Pittsburg | Drunk | 9 0 |
| Charley Morrisette | Groveton | Drunk | 15 1 |
| Ed. Hayes | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Julius Stecol | Groveton | Drunk | 6 4 |
| Thos. Glennon | Berlin | Drunk | 6 4 |
| Arthur Cobb | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Chas. Mulherin | Groveton | Drunk | 6 4 |
| John McClain | Groveton | Drunk | 6 4 |

| Name | From | Sentenced for | W. D. |
|---------------------|------------|--|-------|
| Walter Leonard | Groveton | Drunk | 10 6 |
| Mike Garvigan | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Charles Stewart | Berlin | Defraud | 7 1 |
| Dan McCarthy | Colebrook | Drunk | 5 3 |
| Edward Devine | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Thomas Burke | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Arthur Boldue | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| James McHugh | Colebrook | Drunk | 5 3 |
| Geo. Brook alias | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Bert Clifford | | | |
| Charles Anderson | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| George Gagne | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Victor Nelson alias | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Frank Alto | | | |
| James Ferguson | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Antonio Tarlnick | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Thomas Welch | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Bartlett Murray | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Patrick Costello | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Allen McDonald | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Joseph Fortier | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Frank Vallier | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| James Fleming | Berlin | Brawl and Tumult unlawfully making. | 12 2 |
| Charles Dubey | Groveton | Drunk | 6 4 |
| Mike Foley | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Peter Peterson | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Charles Oleson | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| John Harrigan | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| John McCoy | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Harry Charlton | Berlin | Drunk | 17 1 |
| Edw. Hunt | Whitefield | Drunk | 20 5 |
| Benj. Thomas | Lancaster | unlaw'y sell'g liq. | 6 6 |
| Thomas Glynn | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Allen Jodrie | Colebrook | Drunk | 9 5 |

| Name | From | Sentenced for | W. D. |
|------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-------|
| Arthur Tucker | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Frank Flannagan | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Patrick Doyle | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| John McIntosh | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| James Daley | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Fred Cadorette | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| William Evans | Groveton | Misrepresentation and default | 6 4 |
| Peter Davies | Groveton | Misrepresentation and default | 6 4 |
| John Langstrom | Groveton | Misrepresentation and default | 6 4 |
| J. W. Scanlon | Groveton | Misrepresentation and default | 6 4 |
| William Hamilton | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Mortemier Cronin | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Patrick Burns | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Walter Gorman | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Hugh McCaffry | Colebrook | Drunk | 9 5 |
| Fred Goodill | Berlin | Assault | 25 5 |
| Thomas Hayes | Colebrook | Drunk | 5 3 |
| John Powers | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| John Antenson | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| George Kelley | Berlin | Drunk | 17 1 |
| Mike Foley | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Wm. Curtin | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Claud Chevalier | Gorham | Drunk | 13 6 |
| Midas Porier | Berlin | Drunk | 18 1 |
| Wm. Wheeler | Colebrook | Drunk | 5 3 |
| Fred Reed | Lancaster | Defraud to reimburse Am. R. Co. | 6 0 |
| Patrick Clarey | Lancaster | Defraud to reimburse Am. R. Co. | 6 0 |
| Thomas Clark | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Felix Pullet | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Frank Curley | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |

| Name | From | Sentenced for | W. D. |
|-------------------|-----------|--|-------|
| Jacob Lavoy | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Dan Hogan | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| James Rudden | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Robert Gillen | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| William Doyle | Gorham | Drunk | 30 0 |
| Oscar Lumilode | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| William Cragin | Colebrook | Indecency | 13 6 |
| Frank Williams | Colebrook | Indecency | 5 3 |
| James Shea | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Henry Goselin | Berlin | Assault | 52 1 |
| Albert Caderette | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Frank Morse | Gorham | Drunk | 8 5 |
| Wm. McCoy | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Con Collins | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| John Boyle | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Patrick Shevlin | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Edward Williams | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Edward Martell | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Will Sullivan | Colebrook | Drunk | 13 6 |
| Gus Rhoderick | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Dennis Harrington | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Simon Semandsky | Groveton | Assault | 10 6 |
| Henry Green | Lancaster | Default to reimburse Am. R. Co. | 6 2 |
| Fred LaFleur | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Patrick Connoly | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| George Mann | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Charles Bennett | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Wm. McGuy | Lancaster | Drunk | 6 1 |
| John Rogers | Pittsburg | Default to labor to reim- burse A. R. Co. | 4 5 |
| Harry Hammond | Pittsburg | Default to labor to reim- burse A. R. Co. | 4 5 |
| Jack Grant | Pittsburg | Default to labor to reim- burse A. R. Co. | 4 5 |
| Edward Shields | Pittsburg | Default to labor to reim- burse A. R. Co. | 4 5 |

| Name | From | Sentenced for | W. D. |
|-------------------|--------------|---|-------|
| John Smith | Pittsburg | Default to labor to reimburse A. R. Co. | 4 5 |
| James Murray | Pittsburg | Default to labor to reimburse A. R. Co. | 4 5 |
| Arthur Sullivan | Lancaster | Default to labor to reimburse A. R. Co. | 5 0 |
| Elzear Therrien | Berlin | Default to labor to pay carfare Flourey | 8 0 |
| James McKenzie | Colebrook | Drunk | 5 3 |
| Charles Murphy | Stewartstown | Drunk | 4 2 |
| Charles Munsill | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Thomas McDonald | Groveton | Default to labor to reimburse Odel Mfg. Co. | 6 4 |
| James Wilson | Groveton | Failure to labor to reimburse Odel Mfg. Co. | 6 4 |
| John Perry | Colebrook | Drunk | 8 4 |
| Timothy Coleman | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Timothy Galvin | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Arthur Paradis | Stratford | Default to labor to reimburse J. De Banville | 6 2 |
| Joseph Leveque | Stratford | Default to labor to reimburse J. De Banville | 6 2 |
| W. Mountinbeau | Stratford | Default to labor to reimburse J. De Banville | 6 2 |
| Camille Frechette | Colebrook | Drunk | 5 3 |
| Philip Doherty | Stratford | Stealing | 10 4 |
| William Cenendau | Stewartstown | Drunk | 4 5 |
| Antonie Lartnick | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| George St. Peter | Berlin | Stealing | 12 2 |
| Archie McDonald | Stratford | Drunk | 6 2 |
| Dudley M. Henson | Groveton | Stealing | 13 6 |
| Fred Penney | Groveton | Stealing | 13 6 |
| James Curtis | Berlin | Defraud | 6 4 |
| James Healey | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Cecil Heffernon | Stratford | Drunk | 6 2 |
| Thomas Mason | Stratford | Fraudelency obtain trans. Berlin to Stratford | 6 2 |

| Name | From | Sentenced for | W. D. |
|-----------------|-----------|--|-------|
| Alfonso Caron | Stratford | Fraudelency obtain trans. Berlin to Stratford | 6 2 |
| Peter Dube | Stratford | Fraudelency obtain trans. Berlin to Stratford | 6 2 |
| Dan O'Brion | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Robert Easton | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| George Amycot | Gorham | Stealing | 13 0 |
| Eugene Sullivan | Lancaster | Trans. Boston to Lan. and failure to labor Am. R. Co. | 4 1 |
| John Stanton | Lancaster | Trans. Boston to Lan. and failure to labor Am. R. Co. | 4 1 |
| Martin Cole | Lancaster | Trans. Boston to Lan. and failure to labor Am. R. Co. | 4 1 |
| Frank McDonald | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Leo Boudreau | Berlin | Assault & D'nk | 12 2 |
| James McLean | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| George Stewart | Berlin | Obscene and profane lan- guage | 12 2 |
| Robert Gillen | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Frank Haradin | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| David Breen | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| Jessie Howser | Gorham | Idle and disorderly | 17 2 |
| Charles Page | Berlin | Failure to labor to reimburse G. Holt & Son | 8 0 |
| James Murphy | Stratford | Drunk | 6 2 |
| John Mastre | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| James Crowley | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Jos. Goudette | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Coleman Joyce | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Mike Connelly | Gorham | Drunk | 17 2 |
| Bartley Berry | Gorham | Drunk | 13 0 |
| Thomas Kelley | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Chas. Anderson | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |

| Name | From | Sentenced for | W. D. |
|------------------|------------|--|-------|
| | | Failure to labor Jones-Webster Co. | |
| John Lewis | Groveton | | 6 4 |
| Lawrence Dow | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Argus Dulskey | Groveton | Drunk | 6 4 |
| Joseph Corno | Whitefield | Drunk | 4 6 |
| Ernest Tardiff | Whitefield | Drunk | 4 2 |
| Edward Bent | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Edward Martel | Berlin | Drunk | 16 4 |
| | | Failure to labor American Realty Co. | |
| James Ryan | Groveton | | 6 4 |
| Peter Hanson | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Jos. Cota | Berlin | Drunk | 4 4 |
| Jos. Pelkie | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Wm. McCoy | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| George Clark | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Thomas Lee | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| Patrick Flaherty | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| John Oleson | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| James Kelly | Berlin | Drunk | 12 2 |
| | | Idle and disorderly | |
| Thomas Devlin | Groveton | | 6 4 |
| | | Failure to labor to reimburse Odel Mfg. Co. | |
| Allen McDonald | Groveton | | 6 4 |

Jailer's Report

For the year ending December 31, 1917

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF COOS COUNTY:

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|----|
| Whole number of prisoners committed | | 21 |
| Stealing, | 12 | |
| Assault | 3 | |
| Breaking and Entering, | 2 | |
| False Pretense, | 1 | |
| Defraud, | 1 | |
| Non Support | 1 | |
| Pointing gun at L. Hurlburt, | 1 | |
| | <hr/> | 21 |

Respectfully submitted,

I. E. BEDELL

Jailer.

Physician's Report

TO THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:—

I respectfully submit the following report, as physician for Coos County Farm and Jail.

Deaths

| 1917 | Age. | Date | Cause |
|-----------------|------|----------|------------------|
| Lottie Little, | 24 | May 12, | Septicemia |
| Abraham Cantin, | 52 | July 13 | Heart Trouble |
| John Sullivan, | 24 | Aug. 17, | Typhoid Fever |
| Dan Downing, | 67 | Oct. 6, | Shock |
| Geo. Forbush, | 43 | Oct. 16, | Tuberculosis |
| Neal McDonald, | 62 | Nov. 1, | Heart Trouble |
| John McAvoy, | 65 | Nov. 14, | Bright's Disease |
| Geo. Moore, | 67 | Dec. 1, | Shock |

Births

| | Date | Mother |
|-----------------|----------|------------------|
| Baby Sandy, | Feb. 13, | Jervie Sandy |
| Baby Peppin, | Mar. 7, | Josephine Peppin |
| Willie Goodrum, | Apr, 22 | Mary Goodrum |
| Baby Anderson, | July 10, | Annie Anderson |

No infectious diseases have originated within the Institution during the past year, owing to excellent sanitary conditions.

A capable resident nurse, now a recognized necessity, is in constant attendance.

The general atmosphere is that of comfort and satisfaction.

G. W. BARBOUR, M. D.

Chaplain's Report

To the Commissioners of Coos County: Jan. 17, 1918

Gentlemen:—

I am happy to say that I have performed the service of Chaplain for the County Farm and Jail for the year 1917 in connection with my pastorate of the West Stewartstown Congregational Church, to the best of my ability with monthly Sunday afternoon services at both the Home and Jail with the exception of one occasion when inconvenient to the Superintendent.

For the above services I have received from your Honorable Board the sum of \$50.00 in full payment of the same, according to long established custom.

Respectfully yours,

ANDREW J. SMALL

Solicitor's Report

To the Commissioners for the County of Coos:

I beg to submit my report as Solicitor, commencing April 1, 1917 and ending December 31, 1917.

On April 1, 1917, there were seven State cases on the Docket and they were disposed of as follows:

State vs James Burke, previously reported, "Continued."

State vs. Town of Colebrook, "Continued."

State vs Charles Barnett, "Continued."

State vs Lyman Lombard, reported previously, marked : "Not to go Forward."

State vs John Gadwah, "Continued."

State vs Homer Leach, et als, previously reported, marked: "Not to go Forward."

State vs Fay Pearson, previously reported, "Continued."

There were six cases of Appeals from Municipal Courts and they were disposed of as follows:

State vs Ellery G. Hall, marked: "Not to go Forward."

State vs Arthur O'Leary, "Continued."

State vs Homer Leach, marked: "Not to go forward."

State vs John Fearon, "Continued."

State vs Pearl Hall, Appeal "Dismissed."

State vs Mary Rantz, "Continued."

One case of County of Coos vs City of Berlin, which was an action by the County of Coos for board of Delia and Oscar Hellum, paupers, was tried by Judge Branch but no verdict was returned at this Term.

The following Indictments were returned at the April Term:

State vs Cecil Green. This man was indicted for Larceny. He entered a plea of Guilty before the Court and was given a sentence of six months in Jail. Sentence suspended. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs Adelard Morin. Respondent was indicted for Breaking and Entering and Larceny. Appeared by Counsel and plead Guilty. Continued for Sentence.

State vs Lawrence Dupont. Breaking and Entering and Larceny. Plea of Guilty entered through Counsel. Sentence of six months in Jail. Sentence suspended. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs John 'Connor. Illegal Keeping for Sale. Plea of Guilty entered. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$200. and costs, and sixty days in Jail. Jail sentence and fine suspended upon payment of costs. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs A. E. Legassie. Assault and Robbery. Sentence of not less than one year and one day, or more than two years in State Prison.

State vs Archie Parker. Assault with Intent to Kill. Plea of Guilty of Aggravated Assault accepted. Sentenced to one year in Jail. Sentence suspended. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs George Loudon. Larceny. Plea of Guilty en-

tered and sentence of six months in Jail imposed.

State vs William G. Brent. Assault. Fine of \$10, and costs imposed.

There were other Indictments found which were not made public, consequently, are withheld from this Report.

At the September Term of Court there were six cases up n the Criminal Docket which were disposed of as follows:

State vs James Burke. Previously reported, "Continued."

State vs Town of Colebrook, "Continued."

State vs Charles Barnett, "Continued."

State vs John Gadwah, Plea of Not Guilty retracted and plea of Guilty entered. Fine of \$5. and costs imposed. Sentence suspended during good behavior.

State vs Fay Pearson, Previously reported, "Continued."

State vs Adelard Morin, Previously reported, "Continued for Sentence."

There were 6 cases of Appeals which were disposed of as follows:

State vs Arthur O'Leary. Respondent dead. Case dismissed.

State vs Mary Rantz, Appeal "Dismissed."

State vs John Fearon, "Continued."

State vs Odile Bouchard, Barstardy. Case "Continued."

State vs Charles Stone, This was an Appeal from the Municipal Court of Northumberland. Stone was arrested for Aggravated Assault and fined by the Municipal Court of Northumberland. An Appeal was taken and the case

tried out at the Sept. Term, before a Jury with an acquital resulting.

State vs Alva Warren. This was an Appeal from the Municipal Court of Northumberland. Warren was charged with an Assault. He was fined \$25. and costs, and took an Appeal. This was tried before a Jury at the Sept. Term of Court with an acquital resulting.

There were thirty-three Indictments found at this Term of Court with the following results.

State vs Robert Sturgeon. The Respondent was Bound Over from the Municipal Court of Berlin. He was indicted by the Grand Jury for larceny of Ninety-five Dollars. Sturgeon found the money in the highway. He made restitution. He was sentenced to one year in Jail and pay costs of prosecution. Jail sentence suspended. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs Henry C. Close. Respondent was arrested for an Assault with intent to Kill, and after a hearing before Judge Pattee at Colebrook he was held for the Grand Jury. He was indicted and placed upon trial. A verdict of Not Guilty was returned.

State vs Hazel C. Lee. Respondent in this case was indicted on charge of conversion of mileages. Case was "Continued."

State vs James Alonzi. Respondent was arrested on two charges of assault with intent to kill Vincenza Ricchia Alonzi and Angelo Corzzi Tersigni. He was bound over to the Sept. Term from the Municipal Court of Berlin. He was indicted on both charges and tried before the Superior Court on the Alonzi indictment. A verdict of Guilty was returned and he was sentenced to State Prison for not less than twelve or more than fifteen years. The other indictment was placed on file.

State vs Peter Dorey. This respondent was indicted upon two charges of stealing hens. He entered a plea of Guilty and was sentenced to one year in Jail and pay costs of prosecution. Upon recommendation of the County Commissioners regarding his family the sentence was suspended. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

I am informed that this man and his family have gone to Canada.

State vs William Wilson. Respondent was arrested for breaking and entering cottages in Shelburne and larceny therefrom. He was given a preliminary hearing before the Municipal Court of Berlin, entered a plea of Not Guilty and furnished bond in the sum of \$2500. Six indictments were found against the respondent and he was tried upon one, namely: Charles Stone indictment. He was found Guilty and sentenced to State Prison for not less than four or more than five years, pay costs of prosecution, and stand Committed until the order was performed. The other indictments were placed on file, and he plead Guilty to them.

State vs Joseph Gerard. Respondent was arraigned before the Municipal Court of Berlin, entered a plea of Guilty and was bound over, without bail, to the September Term. He was indicted by the Grand Jury for breaking and entering and larceny of six cottages. He entered a plea of guilty to all and sentenced upon the Indictment of Charles Stone to not less than two or more than four years in State Prison. Gerard turned State evidence and the other indictments were placed on file. Other indictments against accomplices with Gerard and Wilson were not made public.

State vs Floyd Dow, Frank Young, Richard Young and Gordon Smith. These cases were before the Lancaster Municipal Court for breaking and entering and larceny. The respondents were all indicted by the Grand Jury and

arraigned before the Superior Court with the following result. Floyd Dow and Gordon Smith were allowed to go without imposing sentence. Richard Young and Frank Young were given suspended sentences at the State Industrial School.

State vs Rocco Tellescene. Respondent was arrested upon two complaints for illegal sale and keeping for sale. He was indicted and the case of illegal sale was continued for sentence; also the case of keeping for sale.

State vs Jason Belmore. Respondent was bound over from Berlin Municipal Court for breaking and entering and larceny. He was indicted and new bail being furnished the case was continued.

State vs Bernard Finsen. Respondent was arrested for breaking and entering, and being unable to furnish bail was committed to the Industrial School. He was indicted at the September Term and after having entered a plea of guilty the Court continued the case for sentence.

State vs George Roberge. Respondent was before the Municipal Court of Berlin for non-support. He was bound over to the September Term. He was arraigned before the Superior Court, having been indicted by the Grand Jury, and the case was continued for sentence.

State vs Fred Penny. Respondent was indicted for larceny of suit of clothes. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months at the House of Correction.

State vs Dudley M. Hensen. Respondent was indicted for Larceny of suit case and clothes. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months at the House of Correction.

State vs Town of Randolph. Town of Randolph was indicted on condition of its roads and the case was continued.

There were other indictments returned which were not made public.

The Civil Case of County of Coos vs City of Berlin still remains on the docket awaiting the verdict of the Superior Court Justice before whom the case was tried.

At the December Term, 1917, there were upon the Criminal Docket ten cases awaiting action and they have been disposed of as follows.

State vs James Burke. Respondent surrendered himself and bail was discharged. Personal recognizance of respondent accepted by Court, and case marked: "Not to go Forward."

State vs Town of Colebrook. Marked: "Not to go Forward."

State vs Charles Barnett. "Continued."

State vs Fay Pearson. "Continued."

State vs Adelarde Morin. Marked: "Not to go Forward."

State vs Hollis Anderson. Respondent was brought back from Springfield, Mass., and furnished bond to the County of Coos. His bail later surrendered him and he was committed to jail on original sentence.

State vs George Roberge. The respondent not having continued his agreement to support his family was brought before the Court and sentenced to one year in jail and pay costs of prosecution. Jail sentence suspended, Mittimus to issue on call of Solicitor.

State vs Rocco Tellescene. Sentence of sixty days in Jail and pay costs taxed at \$100. Jail sentence suspended. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs Rocco Tellescene. Keeping for sale. Marked: "Not to go Forward."

State vs Hazel C. Lee. This case was tried before a Jury and a verdict of not guilty returned.

There were two appeal cases on the docket and they have been disposed of as follows:

State vs John Fearon. Appeal Dismissed.

State vs Odile Bouchard. Bastardy. Case Continued.

The following indictments were found at the December Term.

State vs P. E. Farrington. Respondent was arrested and brought before the Berlin Municipal Court charged with the Larceny of two (2) mileage books. He was bound over to the December Term. An indictment was found. He appeared and entered a plea of guilty, and was sentenced to one year in jail and pay costs of prosecution. The respondent having served two months in jail, the jail sentence was suspended during good behavior and on payment of costs. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs Harry E. Cole. Respondent was before the Berlin Municipal Court on a charge of receiving Stolen Goods. He was bound over to the December Term, and indicted for breaking and entering and larceny. He was given a sentence of one year in jail and pay costs of prosecution. Respondent served two months in jail and his sentence was suspended during good behavior and on payment of costs. Mittimus to issue at call of Solicitor.

State vs Nicholas Lazure. The respondent was a boy bound over from the Berlin Municipal Court on a charge of breaking and entering and larceny. He was indicted and entered a plea of guilty. The court continued the case for sentence.

State vs Cardick Nichols. Respondent was arrested for Larceny, and bound over from the Berlin Municipal Court. He was indicted and entered a plea of guilty. He

was sentenced to the State Industrial School during minority.

State vs Maxium Carey. Respondent was arrested for Larceny. He was indicted and arraigned before the Superior Court. A plea of guilty was entered and his case was continued for sentence, the boy and parents being about to leave the City.

State vs Hyclo Carey. This respondent was arrested for breaking and entering and larceny. He was indicted by the Grand Jury and entered a plea of Guilty before the Superior Court. The same as former case, the family being about to leave the City, the case was continued for sentence.

State vs Gertrude Graham. Respondent was indicted for passing a forged check. She was placed on trial and a verdict of guilty returned by the Jury. Her case was continued for sentence under \$1000. bail.

State vs Dick Graham. Respondent was arrested for larceny of a check. He is to be tried Monday, February 4th.

State vs Joe Nichols. Respondent was arrested for larceny. He was committed to the Industrial School in default of bail. He was indicted and entered a plea of guilty. Case was continued for sentence.

State vs Leo E. Holden. Respondent was arrested for breaking and entering and larceny. He was indicted and arraigned before the Superior Court. The Court sentenced him to the State Industrial School during minority.

State vs Erwin C. Young. Respondent was arrested for breaking and entering and larceny. He was arraigned before the Superior Court and sentenced to the State Industrial School during minority.

State vs John Kenney. Respondent was arrested for larceny. He was bound over to the December Term but

escaped before Commitment. He was indicted and case continued until apprehended.

The Civil Case of County of Coos vs City of Berlin is to be argued before the Supreme Court at February Term.

This completes the list of cases in my hands.

I have investigated many matters during my Term from April 1, 1917 and endeavored to give every complaint my attention. I was called to Whitefield on Liquor matters and secured two convictions. I have been privately criticized by the Whitefield complainants for my attitude in regard to these convictions. However, I assume that a Solicitor should act according to his best judgment and not in accordance with every persons individual opinion or whim. I did in those cases what I thought Justice demanded. If I have erred, it is due to lack of judgment and not a desire to hinder Justice.

I have been obliged to spend much time at Groveton during the past nine months. The strike situation has been a very expensive proposition for the County of Coos. I believe that this situation will cost the County in the vicinity of \$2,000. before it is concluded. Depredations still continue and numerous cases are now awaiting the April Term of Court. The main trouble seems to be caused by a limited few, and I do not believe that the majority of the striking men are in accord with the acts which have been committed.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY G. NOYES

County Solicitor.

Sheriff's Report

To the honorable County Commissioners of Coos County:

I herewith submit my annual report as Sheriff of Coos County as follows, for the year of 1917,

April Term of Court at Lancaster, N. H.

To paid:

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| Rev. Mr. Porteous, opening prayer | \$ 2.00 |
| B. H. Kelsea, 11 days attendance Court, Deputy Sheriff, | 33.00 |
| 35 miles travel | 7.00 |
| I. W. Quimby, 12 days attendance Court, Deputy Sheriff, | 36.00 |
| 1 mile travel | .20 |
| J. B. Casey, 1 day attendance Court, Deputy Sheriff, | 3.00 |
| 7 miles travel | 1.40 |
| Geo. W. Brown, 24 days attendance, Court as Sheriff, | 72.00 |
| 41 miles travel | 8.20 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$162.80 |

September Term at Colebrook

To paid:

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| Rev. Mr. Davies, opening prayer, | 2.00 |
| B. H. Kelsea, 24 days attendance Court, | 72.00 |

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| I. W. Quimby, 20 days attendance Court | 60.00 |
| Travel | 4.20 |
| Geo. W. Brown, 31 days attendance Court | 93.00 |
| Travel | 6.00 |
| Meals for Jurors | 28.50 |
| Telephone Exp. | .25 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$265.95 |

December Term at Berlin, N. H.

To paid:

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| Rev. Edward W. Moore, opening prayer | 2.00 |
| Geo. W. Brown, 44 days attendance Court as Sheriff | 132.00 |
| Meals for Jurors | 48.55 |
| John B. Casey, 28 days attendance Court | 84.00 |
| Travel | 1.68 |
| John B. Noyes, 33 days attendance Court | 99.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$367.23 |

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE W. BROWN, Sheriff

Clerk of Court's Report

The report of the clerk for the year beginning with the December Term, 1916 and ending with the September Term, 1917 is herewith appended:—

Coös County

To M. A. HASTINGS, Clerk.

December Term, 1916.

Debits

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| To services allowed by Court | 400.00 | |
| To 18 days attendance at Beriln | 90.00 | |
| to printing, Dec. term, docket | 188.00 | |
| To H. H. Sanderson, printing blanks | 10.00 | |
| To sundry items, stationery etc. | 18.43 | |
| To 1 mittimus | 1.00 | |
| To 2 capias | 2.00 | |
| To 8 state entries | 2.40 | |
| | <hr/> | 711.83 |

Contra

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| By 24 dockets sold | 24.00 | |
| By 74 new entries | 88.20 | |
| By County Order | 599.63 | |
| | <hr/> | 711.83 |

Debits

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|--------------------------------|---------|----------|
| To 4 days attendance at Berlin | 20.00 | |
| To D. M. White, envelopes | 3.75 | |
| To making Civil Records | 1960.37 | |
| | <hr/> | 1,984.12 |

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| By fine in State vs Lamontagne | 50.00 | |
| By court order | 1934.12 | |
| | <hr/> | 1,984.12 |

April Term, 1917**Debits**

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------|----------|
| To services allowed by Court | 400.00 | |
| To 23 days attendance at Lancaster | 69.00 | |
| To printing, April Term Docket | 196.00 | |
| To F. S. Webster Co., office supplies | 8.00 | |
| To sundry items, stationery, etc. | 26.73 | |
| To 2 mittimus | 2.00 | |
| To 1 capias | 1.00 | |
| To 8 state entries | 2.40 | |
| To 2 days attendance at Berlin | 10.00 | |
| To making civil records | 552.79 | |
| | <hr/> | 1,267.92 |

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|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| By 24 dockets sold | 24.00 | |
| By 106 new entries, | 95.40 | |
| By costs state vs O'Connor | 36.97 | |
| By county order | 1111.55 | |
| | <hr/> | 1267.92 |

Debits

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|---------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| To sundry items, stationery, etc. | 7.82 | |
| To making civil records | 303.53 | |
| To Loring, Short and Harmon, supplies | 1.00 | |
| To Typewriter ribbons | 8.00 | |
| To adjusting typewriter | 1.75 | |
| | | 322.10 |

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| By County order | 322.10 |
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Coos County to Fred C. Cleaveland, Clerk.

September Term, 1917**Debits**

| | |
|---|--------|
| To services allowed by Court | 400.00 |
| To 33 days attendance at Colebrook | 165.00 |
| To printing September docket | 153.05 |
| To printing Jury list and supplement | 29.00 |
| To printing new entries | 36.00 |
| To Gazette Times, printing blanks | 29.97 |
| To Coos County Democrat, blanks and letterheads, | 17.00 |
| To F. S. Webster Co., supplies | 13.84 |
| To Loring, Short & Harmon, office sup. | 45.51 |
| To Evans Printing Co., list of bar members | 4.00 |
| To Postage and stamped envelopes | 37.66 |
| To note books and stationery | 4.85 |
| To express and trucking | 8.43 |
| To telephone tolls, etc. | 4.30 |
| To typewriter supplies and P. O. box rent | 1.50 |
| To 3 capias | 3.00 |
| To 4 mittimus | 4.00 |

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| To 37 state entries | 11.10 | |
| | <hr/> | 968.21 |
| By 26 dockets sold | 26.00 | |
| By fine State vs Couture | 50.00 | |
| By telephone toll Olin Barnard | .25 | |
| By costs, State vs Robert Sturgeon | 29.44 | |
| By 141 new entries | 126.90 | |
| By Court Order | 735.62 | |
| | <hr/> | 968.21 |

Respectfully submitted,
FRED C. CLEVELAND
Clerk.

Treasurer's Report

Apportionment of taxes for 1917.

| | |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| Berlin, | \$ 17,362.78 |
| Carroll, | 2,772.14 |
| Clarkesville, | 970.64 |
| Colebrook, | 3,082.75 |
| Columbia, | 885.22 |
| Dalton, | 473.67 |
| Dummer, | 621.21 |
| Errol, | 1,296.77 |
| Gorham, | 6,328.56 |
| Jefferson, | 1,506.43 |
| Lancaster, | 5,404.51 |
| Milan, | 1,242.42 |
| Northumberland, | 3,370.05 |
| Pittsburg, | 4,954.14 |
| Randolph, | 450.38 |
| Shelburne, | 846.40 |
| Stark, | 729.92 |
| Stewartstown, | 1,211.36 |
| Stratford, | 1,669.50 |
| Wentworth's Location, | 667.80 |
| Whitefield, | 2,298.47 |
| Bean's Grant, | 186.36 |
| Bean's Purchase, | 38.82 |
| Cambridge, | 1,024.99 |
| Chandler's Purchase, | 85.42 |
| Crawford's Purchase, | 139.77 |
| Cutt's Grant, | 85.42 |
| Dixville, | 1,545.26 |

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| Dix's Grant, | 333.90 |
| Erving's Grant, | 85.42 |
| Gilmanton & Atkinson Academy Grant, | 295.07 |
| Kilkenney, | 69.88 |
| Millsfield, | 450.38 |
| Odell, | 380.49 |
| Pinkham's Grant, | 15.53 |
| Sargent's Purchase, | 31.06 |
| Second College Grant, | 380.49 |
| Success, | 706.62 |
| | ————— \$64,000.00 |

**Receipts of E. O. Gilbert from Jan., 1st., to April 1st., 1917
December Term 1916.**

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Jan. 1 Note Farmers Loan & T'st. Co., | 15,000.00 |
| Jan. Town of Dixville, | 1,258.11 |
| Jan. Town of Dixville, | 1,270.69 |
| Jan. Town of Millsfield, 1916 Taxes, | 215.56 |
| Jan. Town of Millsfield 1915 Taxes, | 217.72 |
| Jan. Groveton pauper account, | 20.50 |
| Jan. Berlin pauper account, | 26.00 |
| Jan. Transients, | 42.00 |
| Jan. I. E. Bedell, County Farm, | 404.29 |
| Jan. Interest on deposits to Feb., 1st., | 23.23 |
| March, Millsfield, | 142.10 |
| March, Erving's Grant, | 79.47 |
| March, Kilkenney, | 26.63 |
| March, Odell, | 150.96 |
| March G. T. C. Interest on deposits, | 70.67 |
| | ————— \$18,947.93 |

| Receipts, David W. Coffey | | April Term |
|---|----|-------------------|
| April 17, Farmers Loan & Trust Co., note disc. | \$ | 20,000.00 |
| April 25, Millsfield, | | 2.21 |
| May 10, Crawford's Purchase, | | 139.77 |
| May 10, Chandler's Purchase, | | 32.03 |
| May 14, Millsfield, | | 5.03 |
| May 31, Millsfield, | | 2.01 |
| July 6, J. E. Bedell, County Farm, | | 1,000.00 |
| Aug. 1, State Excise Commission, | | 12,292.60 |
| Aug. 23, City of Berlin, | | 2,362.78 |
| Aug. 24, Bean's Purchase, | | 38.82 |
| Aug. 24, Cutt's Grant, | | 42.71 |
| | | ————— \$35,917.96 |

| Receipts, David W. Coffey, | | September Term |
|--|-----------|----------------|
| Sept. 6, Wentworth's Location, | \$667.80 | |
| Sept. 10, I. E. Bedell, County Farm, | 1,000.00 | |
| Sept. 11, Guaranty Tst. Co. note disc. | 10,000.00 | |
| Sept. 12, Cutt's Grant, | 42.71 | |
| Sept. 26, Cambridge | 341.66 | |
| Sept. 26, Success, | 57.10 | |
| Sept. 26, Erving's Grant, | 69.70 | |
| Sept. 26, Kilkenney, | 43.68 | |
| Sept. 26, Millsfield, | 145.91 | |
| Sept. 26, Odell, | 152.19 | |
| Oct. 4, Erving's Grant, | 15.72 | |
| Oct. 10, City of Berlin, | 3,000.00 | |
| Oct. 23, Millsfield, | 13.09 | |
| Oct. 15, Bean's Grant, | 186.36 | |
| Oct. 26, Millsfield, | 4.03 | |
| Nov. 1, County Farm, I. E. Bedell, | 2,500.00 | |
| Nov. 1, Millsfield, | 44.28 | |

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| Nov. 7, Gilmanton & Atkinson Academy | |
| Grant, | 295.07 |
| Nov. 7, Millsfield, | 221.58 |
| Nov. 7, Dixville, | 1,545.26 |
| Nov. 7, Dix's Grant, | 333.90 |
| Nov. 7, Success, | 535.33 |
| Nov. 7 Errol, | 1,296.77 |
| Nov. 8, Sargent's Purchase, | 31.06 |
| Nov. 14, Millsfield, | 8.05 |
| Nov. 14, Pinkham's Grant, | 10.35 |
| Nov. 20, City of Berlin, | 5,000.00 |
| Nov. 24, Dalton, | 473.67 |
| Nov. 24, Second College Grant, | 380.49 |
| Nov. 30, City of Berlin, | 7,000.00 |
| Nov. 30, Dummer, | 621.21 |
| Nov. 30, Pinkham's Grant, | 5.18 |
| Nov. 30, Whitefield, | 2,298.47 |
| | ————— \$38,340.62 |

December Term

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| Dec. 1, Lancaster, | \$4,000.00 |
| Dec. 1, Colebrook, | 3,082.75 |
| Dec. 1, Gorham, | 6,325.56 |
| Dec. 1, Northumberland, | 3,370.05 |
| Dec. 1, Jefferson, | 1,506.43 |
| Dec. 1, Stratford, | 1,669.50 |
| Dec. 3, Stewartstown, | 1,211.36 |
| Dec. 3, Odell, | 228.30 |
| Dec. 3, Overcharge on Loring, Short & Harmon Bill, | 1.50 |
| Dec. 3, Stark, | 729.92 |
| Dec. 4, Lancaster, | 1,404.51 |
| Dec. 4, Interest, Harris Forbes & Co., | 75.00 |
| Dec. 4, Children Acct., Hollis Anderson, | 15.00 |

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| Dec. 5, Milan, | 1,242.42 |
| Dec. 5, Clarkesville, | 970.64 |
| Dec. 5, Carroll, | 2,765.39 |
| Dec. 6, Randolph, | 450.38 |
| Dec. 7, Shelburne, | 846.40 |
| Dec. 10, Pittsburg, | 4,954.14 |
| Dec. 11, Chandler's Purchase, | 53.39 |
| Dec. 12, County Farm, I. E. Bedell, | 1,325.00 |
| Dec. 17, Columbia, | 885.22 |
| Dec. 18, Gorham, | 3.00 |
| Dec. 19, County Farm, C. H. Jameson, | 175.00 |
| Dec. 19, Carroll, | 6.75 |
| Dec. 20, Children Acct., J. A. Vaillanc't, | 196.00 |
| Dec. 27, County Farm, I. E. Bedell, | 2,362.71 |
| Dec. 31, Farmers Loan & Trust Co., | |
| note discounted, | 25,000.00 |
| | <hr/> \$64,856.32 |

**Expenditures. Court Order paid by E. O. Gilbert from
January 1 to April 1**

December Term.

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| State vs James Nugent, | 40.57 |
| State vs Jos. Oliver, | 15.07 |
| State vs Various parties, | 69.43 |
| State vs Hyman H. Abramson, | 16.44 |
| Geo. W. Brown, services, | 27.00 |
| Mabel E. Dooley, services | 37.09 |
| M. Hastings, services, | 1,934.12 |
| Mabel E. Dooley, services, | 59.51 |
| Thomas L. Marble, services | 25.00 |
| State vs Various parties, | 4.62 |
| State vs Hyman Abramson, | 5.55 |
| Petit Jury, Pay roll, | 49.44 |
| | <hr/> \$2,283.84 |

Expenditures, David W. Coffey, April Term, Court Orders

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| April, Fred C. Cleaveland, services as auditor, | 26.93 |
| April, Fred C. Cleaveland, services, as auditor, | 21.93 |
| J. A. Vaillancourt, services and expenses as commissioner, | 387.99 |
| J. P. Boucher, services and expenses as commissioner, | 203.30 |
| Mabel Dooley, services as stenographer, | 125.18 |
| Grand Jury pay roll, | 224.04 |
| Petit Jury pay roll, | 1,913.76 |
| State vs Caterina Alonzi, | 15.24 |
| State vs John O'Connor, | 36.97 |
| State vs Aristide Pepin, | 6.12 |
| State vs Tony Stanwitch, | 6.12 |
| State vs Adelard Morin, | 6.12 |
| State vs W. L. Mahoney, | 6.41 |
| State vs Archie Parker, | 29.33 |
| State vs Wm. J. Black, | 43.91 |
| State vs Lawrence Dupont, | 27.62 |
| State vs A. E. Legassie, | 71.76 |
| State vs Geo. Loudon, | 27.71 |
| State vs A. Lafontaine, | 19.22 |
| State vs Cecil Green, | 33.79 |
| State vs Wm. Brent, | 19.63 |
| M. A. Hastings, services, | 1,111.55 |
| Geo. W. Brown, services, | 162.80 |
| Harry G. Noyes, services, | 36.28 |
| Mabel E. Dooley, services | 5.30 |
| State vs. Various parties, | 113.98 |
| Harry G. Noyes, services, | 174.36 |
| Mabel E. Dooley, services | 3.60 |
| M. A. Hastings, services, | 322.10 |

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| Bernard Jacobs, services, | 400.00 | |
| E. M. Bowker, services, | 21.98 | |
| | | \$5,605.03 |

Expenditures, David W. Coffey, Sept. Term, Court Orders

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| Sept., Mabel E. Dooley, services, | 4.00 |
| J. A. Vaillancourt, services and expenses as County Com. | 387.86 |
| A. C. Hicks, services and expenses as County Commissioner, | 275.53 |
| F. D. Page, services and expenses as County Commissioner | 189.19 |
| Herbert I. Goss, services, | 73.80 |
| Herbert I. Goss, services, | 22.71 |
| Geo. F. Rich, services, | 27.00 |
| Bernard Jacobs, services | 32.00 |
| B. H. Kelsea, services, | 15.80 |
| L. D. Ripley, services, | 25.00 |
| Geo. W. Brown, services, | 265.95 |
| Mabel E. Dooley, services, | 264.39 |
| Fred C. Cleaveland, services, | 735.62 |
| Harry G. Noyes, services, | 206.37 |
| Petit Jury, | 2,524.68 |
| Grand Jury, | 267.00 |
| State vs Henry Close, | 63.23 |
| State vs Penney & Hensen, | 33.50 |
| State vs Floyd A. Dow, | 28.77 |
| State vs, Stephen Rowell, | 8.00 |
| State vs Joseph Gerard, | 128.44 |
| State vs Vincenzo Alonzi, | 157.78 |
| State vs Bernard Finsen, | 84.06 |
| State vs Vincenzo Alonzo, | 65.40 |
| Mabel Douglas, | 96.39 |
| State vs Henry Reed, | 106.66 |
| State vs Geo. Roberge, | 25.44 |

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| State vs Jason Belmore, | 6.46 | |
| State vs Various Parties, | 281.61 | |
| State vs Peter Dorey, | 36.70 | |
| State vs Rocco Tellescene, | 62.20 | |
| State vs Alvah Warren, | 26.24 | |
| State vs Chas. G. Stone, | 67.34 | |
| State vs Hazel Lee, | 12.00 | |
| State vs Town of Randolph, | 8.00 | |
| State vs Wm. Wilson, | 104.94 | |
| State vs Wm. Wilson and als., | 294.94 | |
| State vs Robert Sturgeon, | 29.44 | |
| Mabel E. Dooley, services, | 18.54 | |
| State vs Various parties, | 43.90 | |
| | | ————— \$7,106.88 |

Expenditures. David W. Coffey. Court Orders, Dec. Term.

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| Dec., Warren W. James, services, | 5.00 | |
| James R. Wood, ser. as detective, | 276.50 | |
| A. C. Hicks, services and expenses | | |
| as County Commissioner, | 196.00 | |
| J. A. Vaillancourt, services and expenses | | |
| as County Commissioner, | 309.46 | |
| Geo. W. Brown, services, | 157.19 | |
| Mabel E. Dooley, services, | 80.25 | |
| Fred C. Cleaveland, services, | 660.73 | |
| Fred C. Cleaveland, services, | 22.60 | |
| Petit Jury, | 1,538.80 | |
| Grand Jury, | 211.44 | |
| | | ————— \$ 3,457.97 |

Recapitulation. (E. O. Gilbert,)

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| Book Balance of E. O. Gilbert, | | |
| Jan. 1, 1917, | \$9,474.40 | |
| Outstanding checks, | 65.97 | |
| Receipts of E. O. Gilbert from | | |
| (Jan. 1, to April 1,) | 18,947.93 | |
| Total, | | ————— \$28,488.30 |

Disbursements

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| Court orders, paid by Gilbert, from Jan. 1, to April. | \$2,283.84 |
| Commissioners, orders, paid by Gilbert, Jan. 1, to April | 16,211.23 |
| Book balance of Gilbert, Apr. 1, | 9,927.26 |
| Outstanding checks, Gilbert, Apr. 1, | 65.97 |
| Cash in bank, April 1st, | 9,993.23 |
| Total | \$28,488.30 |

Recapitulation. (D. W. Coffey)

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| Cash in bank, April 1st., 1917, | \$9,993.23 |
| Receipts, April Term, | 35,917.96 |
| Receipts, Sept., Term, | 38,340.62 |
| Receipts, Dec. Term, | 64,856.32 |
| Total cash received by Coffey, | \$149,108.13 |

Expenditures.

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| Court Orders paid by Coffey, April Term, | 5,605.03 |
| Court Orders paid by Coffey, September, Term, | 7,106.88 |
| Court Orders paid by Coffey, December Term, | 3,457.97 |
| 2 of E. O. Gilbert checks outstanding Apr. 1st, paid by Coffey, | 17.40 |
| Commissioners Orders, paid by Coffey, (April 1st, to Dec. 31st,) | 110,658.11 |
| Balance, Dec. 31, 1917, | 22,262.74 |
| | \$149,108.13 |

Auditors' Report

To the Superior Court :

We have examined the accounts and vouchers of the County Commissioners and Treasurer David W. Coffey. Such accounts are correct and well vouched, and in our opinion the sums charged therein for articles purchased are according to the market value and have been used for the benefit of the County.

FRED C. CLEAVELAND,
WARREN W. JAMES,
County Auditors.

Representatives to General Court

Berlin, Ward One

Joseph Aubin
Waldo Babson
Arthur P. Smyth

Ward, Two

Joseph W. Gonya
George H. Gagne
William G. Dupont

Ward Three

Andrew P. Berquist
Paul W. Burbank
Octave J. Lambert

Ward Four

Arthur J. Letourneau

Carroll

Edward W. Burns

Colebrook

Guy B. Trask
John H. Finley

Columbia

William Gray

Dalton

Amos L. Brown

Gorham

Joseph O. George
Bartholomew F. McHugh

Jefferson

Richard B. Eastman

Lancaster

Fred C. Congdon
Abner Bailey
Daniel J. Truland

Milan

Ruel A. Woods

Northumberland

Joseph P. Boucher
Jas. B. McFarland

Pittsburg

Charles Merrill

Randolph

Vyron D. Lowe

Shelburne

Charles E. Philbrook

Stark

Ira N. Cole

Stewartstown

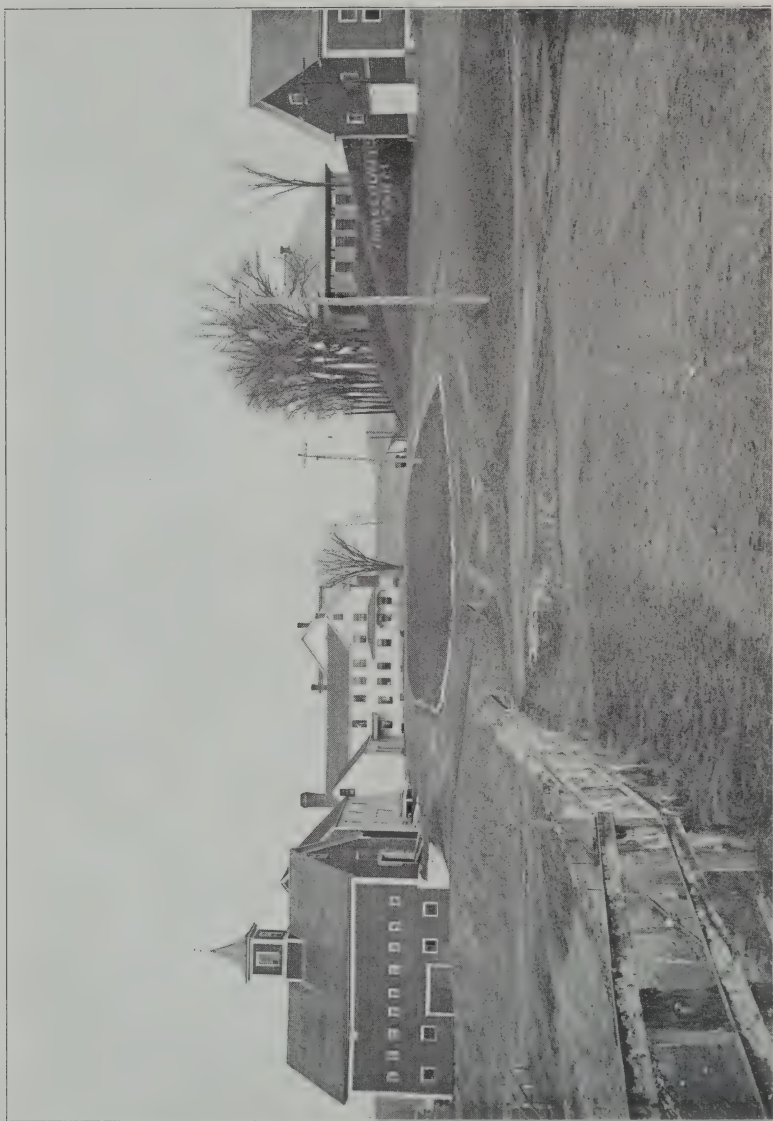
Levi Brooks

Stratford

William H. Kimball

Whitefield

Elbridge W. Snow



COOS COUNTY FARM BUILDINGS AT WEST STEWARTSTOWN, N. H.

Record of Legislators

JANUARY SESSION 1917

Concord, New Hampshire

January 10, 1917

Coos County Delegation met in Committee Room 156 on January 10th before the morning session for the purpose of organization. Mr. Snow of Whitefield was made temporary chairman by acclamation and Burbank of Berlin, temporary clerk,

The chair announced that we proceed to the election of a chairman and clerk for the 1917 session. The chair appointed as tellers to receive and count the votes, Mr. Dupont and Mr. Congdon.

They announced that Joseph P. Boucher of Northumberland was unanimously elected chairman by ballot, and that Paul W. Burbank of Berlin was unanimously elected clerk by ballot.

On motion of Mr. McHugh it was moved and seconded to adjourn at 10.30 o'clock, subject to the call of the chairman.

Paul W. Burbank, Clerk.

Concord, New Hampshire, Jan. 31, 1917

Coos County delegation met in Committee Room 100 at 10 o'clock for the purpose of choosing the time and date on which above delegation shall visit the County Farm and House of Correction at Stewartstown. 23 members present.

On motion of Mr. McHugh that we shall visit said County Farm on Thursday, Feb. 8th, the chair put it to a vote and the motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Babson, the chair instructed the clerk to write a letter to County Agent E. T. Lewis, requesting his presence at our meeting at Stewartstown to be held on Feb. 8th. On motion of Mr. Dupont the meeting adjourned at 10:17 o'clock until Thursday, Feb. 8th at 8 o'clock p. m.

Paul W. Burbank, Clerk.

West Stewartstown, N. H., Feb. 8, 1917.

The Coos County Delegation met according to adjournment.

Above delegation left Concord 5:30 this morning, 22 members present, and visited the Coos County Farm, Poorhouse, House of Correction and the County Jail, all located at Stewartstown.

We spent ample time in looking over these buildings and the management thereof, and after supper held our business meeting. Mr. E. T. Lewis, our County Agent was present, and carefully went over his work for the two years in which he has held this position. Mr. Wilson of New Hampshire State College also held an informal discussion in regard to the work and needs of a County Agent for the ensuing two years.

On motion of Mr. Philbrook the meeting adjourned at 9:30 o'clock, subject to the call of the chairman.

Paul W. Burbank, Clerk.

Concord N. H. Tuesday, February 20, 1917.

The Coos County Delegation met in Committee Room 157 according to the call of the chairman at 12.20 p. m.

The Coos County Commissioners appeared in person and presented their estimates of the appropriation needed to carry on their work for the two ensuing years. After considering carefully the same, on motion of Mr. Dupont, seconded by Mr. Lowe the Coos County Delegation voted to appropriate \$62,000 for each of the two ensuing years for the above commissioners to expend in the regular county expenditures.

Upon recommendation of the County Commissioners it was moved by Mr. Babson and seconded by Mr. McHugh that we make a special appropriation of \$800 for the purpose of purchasing additional pasture land near the County Farm in Stewartstown. By a vote of the Delegation the motion was carried.

It was moved by Mr. Kimball and seconded by Mr. McHugh that the Coos County Delegation appropriate \$1200 for each of the two ensuing years to be expended in the maintenance of a County Agent and the motion was carried. It was moved by Mr. Dupont and seconded by Mr. Burns that we do now adjourn and the motion was carried and above Delegation adjourned at 1:30 o'clock.

Paul W. Burbank, Clerk.

